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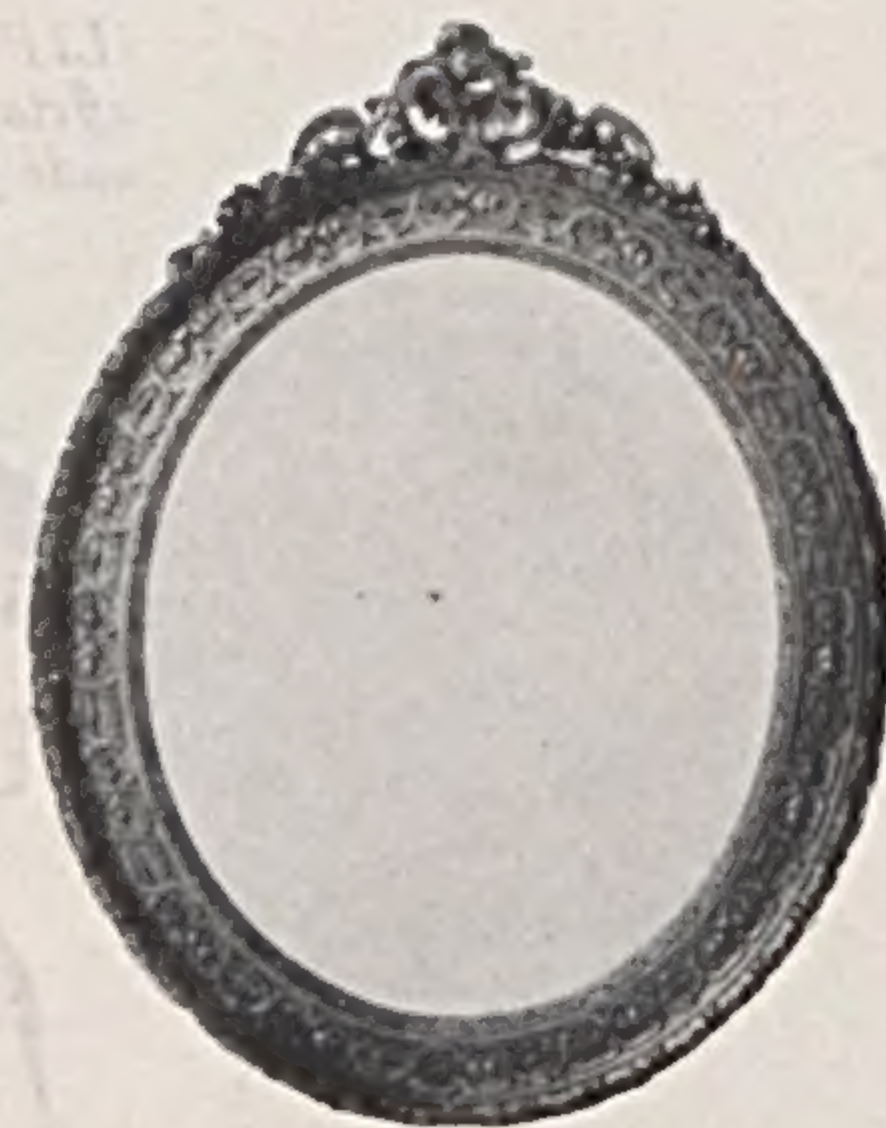
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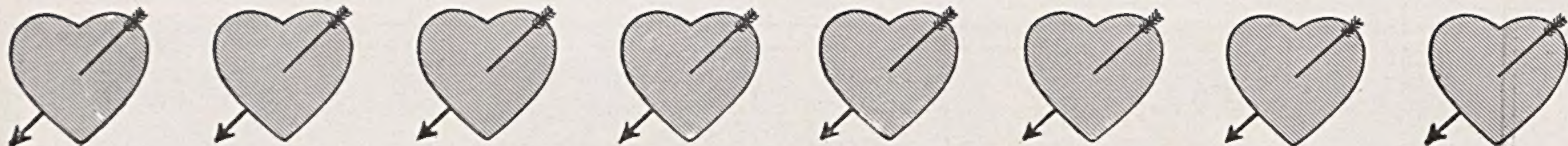
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(b) Rush madly from shop to shop, comparing as best you can their offerings and prices—always with the haunting fear that your friends have already seen and priced the very gifts that finally, in sheer desperation, you are forced to buy for them; gifts that lack the grace of originality.

(c) Suffer many disappointments on account of the limited variety of gifts offered by your local shops; perhaps even make hurried and exhausting trips to the city in search of what you can on no account find nearer home.

(d) And finally be immensely—even crushingly—disappointed by finding at the last moment that some of the things you bought cannot be delivered till several days after Christmas; to say nothing of the things you *forgot* to buy!

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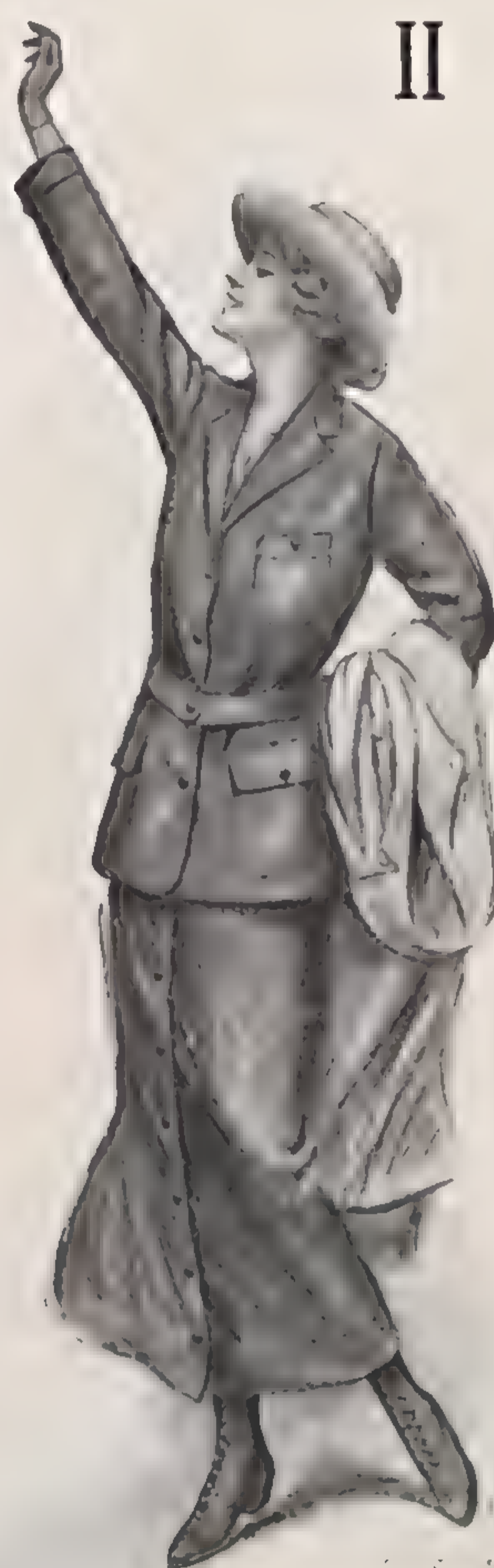
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If you are still looking for a school for *this* year, on this page you are very likely to find it. Or if Vogue can help you, write at once.

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# SALES AND EXCHANGES



## Wearing Apparel

**FOR SALE:** Shell pink chiffon evening gown, cost \$100—sell \$20. Tango chiffon and taffeta afternoon gown, new, cost \$100—sell \$20. Dark blue cape. Cost \$50—sell \$15. All excellent condition. No. 803-D.

**TWO** lingerie dresses for girl or small woman, worn few times. Price \$10 a piece. Six beautifully embroidered waist fronts from Manila, \$2 a piece. Two flounces at \$4 a piece. No. 805-D.

**DARK** blue voile maternity gown, fall model, never worn, size 36. Cost \$25—sell \$15. No. 808-D.

**WHITE** sport coat \$10. French hand-made batiste waist, high neck, long sleeves, size 38—\$3. Irish crochet collar and cuff set—\$4. All perfect condition. No. 800-D.

**LIGHT** blue charmeuse evening gown, embroidered and with fringe same shade, \$40. Cost \$125. Worn three times. A heliotrope uncut velvet with fur trimming, worn but few times, \$30—cost \$90. And a lavender nun's veiling with accordion plaited skirt and smocked waist with Irish point yoke and cuffs, worn twice, would answer for dancing frock. \$30—cost \$80. All size 38. No. 811-D.

**LOVELY** bronze satin evening wrap, lined with turquoise blue, and trimmed with handsome dull gold lace. Cost \$85—sell \$20. Practically new. No. 812-D.

**MOURNING** bonnet and veil, \$7. Mourning silk hat, \$4. Heavy mousseline face veil, \$2. Long cut veil, crepe border, \$5. Imported violet and gold brocade afternoon gown, \$25. Bargain. Size 36. No. 813-D.

**FOR SALE:** Stunning blue silk three-piece suit, embroidered beautifully and trimmed with carrickmacross lace. Cost \$350—sell \$100. Lavender silk gown and a golden brocade satin. Both for evening. Each \$25. All perfect condition. Size 38-40. No. 814-D.

**DARK** blue duvetyn suit, trimmed in Fitch fur, Hickson's. Cost \$125 sell \$30. Size 34-36. Orchid taffeta dancing frock. Cost \$150—sell \$35. Both in excellent condition. No. 815-D.

**EXQUISITE** evening cloak. Callot model. Flame color brocade satin trimmed in skunk. This season's model. Never worn. Cost \$150—sell \$50. No. 818-D.

**FOR SALE:** 5 1/4 yds. of beautiful antique Brussels point lace in perfect condition; 16 inches wide. Over fifty years in possession and only used once. Will sell for \$110 a yd. No. 820-D.

**HANDSOME** India shawl, 2 yds. square, black center, perfect condition. \$3.50. Also Paisley shawl, white center, 1 yard, 32 inches square; make a lovely evening wrap. No. 822-D.

**FOR SALE:** A genuine Paisley shawl, figured red center. Shawl a double one, but little used. A bargain at \$103. No. 824-D.

**FOR SALE:** Two beautiful Paisley shawls, \$300 and \$200. Will send C. O. D., privilege of examination. No. 828-D.

**FOR SALE:** A number of handsome evening gowns, slightly used, size 40. Too many to describe in advertisement. If interested write for descriptions. No. 833-D.

**LACES:** Two magnificent pieces suitable for gowns. Were awarded Gold Medals at 12 World's Fairs. Worth \$1,000. Will sell low to settle estate. No. 835-D.

**HANDSOME** ecru lace gown, long tunic, waist bolero effect. Pink satin girdle. Short skirt. Size 36-38. Cost \$65. Sacrifice \$35. No. 836-D.

**BLACK** satin and jet evening dress. Taupe and gold evening dress. Cost \$400. Sacrifice. Almost new, dresses, hats, waists, other articles. Only New York answers requested. No. 838-D.

**FOR SALE:** Royal blue velvet evening dress worn only a few times, \$30. Black velvet afternoon dress, good condition, \$25. Size 38. No. 840-D.

**POINT** applique lace shawl, black thread lace shawl. Both in perfect condition. No. 845-D.

**FOR SALE:** New marmot motor coat, size 40. \$40. Handsome brown charmeuse afternoon gown, size 38—\$25. Lady's solid gold watch \$20. All in perfect condition. No. 847-D.

**LADY'S** fancy weave green silk suit, 38, Paris model. Cost \$75—sell \$20. Custom-made vicci kid laced walking boots, 6 1/2 B. Cost \$12—sell \$5. Perfect condition. No. 849-D.

**BLACK** silk velvet dinner gown. Flesh tulle and white lace bodice, lined throughout with flesh crepe de chine. Stunning trimming. Size 36. Cost \$125. On account of mourning will take \$50. Worn twice. No. 853-D.

**NEGLIGES:** Never worn, elegant pink crepe de chine, very lacey. Cost \$35—sell \$15. Blue chiffon grenadine, very elaborate, lavishly trimmed, chiffon rosebuds. Cost \$35—sell \$15. Sizes 38. No. 856-D.

## To Answer These Messages

1. Put your reply in an unsealed envelope with the number of the message to which you are replying in the corner. (For instance, No. 350-A.) Then fold this envelope, enclose it in another envelope and mail it to Vogue, 443 Fourth Avenue, New York.

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## To Insert Your Message

When you wish to sell something which you do not need—or to buy something which you do need—send your message to Sales and Exchanges. The price is \$2 for 25 words, or less. Additional words, 10 cents each. Cheque or money order must accompany message; be sure to write your name and address very plainly. Your message for the December 15th Vogue should be received on or before November 10th.

## WHAT WILL YOU OFFER?

A GIRL in the South, braving tradition, was a bridesmaid for three friends last Spring. Thus she acquired three useful dresses, one of which was afterward converted into an evening gown. One of the three hats proved equally appropriate for both the other dresses. The other two hats represented much expense, and the girl wanted to dispose of them. Fortunately, she knew all about the "Sales and Exchanges" page of Vogue.

With the best intentions in the world, you may nevertheless find that you have things you don't need—things too good to throw away. "Sales and Exchanges" was established for women in just this position. Read their messages on this page; answer those that appeal to you, and if you fail to find just what you want to buy or sell, try a little message of your own.

## SALES AND EXCHANGES SERVICE

VOGUE,

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### Furs

**FOR SALE:** Genuine Persian lamb coat, 50 inches long; size 36-40. Perfect condition, worn three or four times, \$200, or diamond of equal value. No. 817-D.

**BLACK** fox scarf, very large full skins, effectively combined, very handsome. Cost \$100—sell \$35. Black fox muff. Cost \$35—sell \$10. Both good condition. No. 826-D.

**BLACK** caracul coat, bust 38. Black fox collar and cuffs, lined purple brocade, 34 length, excellent style and condition. Cost \$125—sell \$50. No. 827-D.

**BARGAIN:** Exquisite Persian baby lamb full length coat, size 40. Cost \$2000—sell \$1200. Seen in New York. Can be cut off and 3 extra muffs made. No. 832-D.

**FOR SALE:** Real sealskin coat, 22 inches long, 36 bust. Good style and condition. \$200. Beautiful watch; opal surrounded with diamonds, \$100. Send C. O. D., privilege of examination. No. 834-D.

**HUDSON** seal coat, 42 inches long. Cost \$500. Perfect condition. New model. Will sell for \$150. Dark green plush suit trimmed with sealskin. Cost \$200, will sell for \$40. Size 40-42. Only New York answers requested. No. 839-D.

**FOR SALE:** Genuine mink neck piece, eight skins, mink and chiffon muff, two skins, good condition. Sell \$60—one-third actual cost. Send approval. No. 854-D.

**GENTLEMAN'S** heavy auto overcoat, broadcloth, muskrat lined, large beaver collar and cuffs. Size 40-42. Cost \$300—sell \$150. Perfect condition, almost new. Can be seen by appointment Gunther's fur storage. No. 855-D.

### Miscellaneous

**GORGEOUS** pea fowls for sale. Full grown cocks with long tails, \$15. Hens, \$12. Pair, \$25. Rarely ornamental for your country home. No. 664-D.

**LADIES** interested in church fairs, sales or exhibits should learn where to get rare foreign needlework, something different, on excellent conditions. No. 674-D.

**GENUINE** antiques—old mahogany hall clock, a Duncan Phyfe library table, an Empire sofa and Empire sewing table. No. 733-D.

**APARTMENT** for rent; most unusual opportunity. Completely furnished—piano, linen, silverware, kitchen utensils, etc.; all ready to occupy. Seven rooms, all very light. Near Central Park, one block from Subway and elevated stations and four car lines; 12 minutes from theatre and shopping centers. Moderate rent. References required. No. 731-D.

### Miscellaneous—Cont.

**FOR SALE:** A few genuine antiques, Hep-plewhite chair, \$65. A sideboard found only once in a lifetime, \$1,500. Duncan Phyfe library table, \$150. No. 769-D.

**DIRECTOIRE** tip table, rosewood, brass inlay, 54 inches. Black oak Hunt table, extension, large, four animals on pedestal. Both good condition. \$250 each. No. 801-D.

**FOR SALE:** Antique rosewood veneer sofa, bookcase and highboy of mahogany, in possession old Southern family for four generations. Price very moderate. No. 804-D.

**HAND-CROCHETED** bedspread and piece for bolster roll. Alternate strips hemstitched linen and crochet-edging finishes edge. Sell \$60. No. 806-D.

**FOR SALE:** Mahogany Tel-Electric Piano Player, almost new, with records at great sacrifice. Also imported Circassian walnut XVI beds. Velvet and oriental rugs. No. 810-D.

**FOR SALE:** Set of Hudson Bay sables. Perfect condition, \$100. Silver salad bowl, \$20. Silver after-dinner coffee set, \$50. No. 816-D.

**EIGHTEEN-INCH** necklace, consisting of 73 matched, round opals, graduating from four to ten millimeters, separated by tiny gold disks, worth \$500—sell \$125. No. 821-D.

**A PIANO**, your choice from one of Fifth Avenue's best showrooms at \$40 less than the regular price. Will sell \$100 credit for \$60, with that, the instrument is placed in your home. Pay balance in cash or \$8 monthly installments. No. 825-D.

**NEW ORLEANS** antique French oak dining-room set, 9 pieces. Handsome white and gold wedgewood porcelain soup and dinner plates, six of each. Photographs furnished. No. 829-D.

**A COLLEGE** graduate whose own motion pictures are extensively produced will send you a sample copy; will criticise three scenarios and tell you where to send them. Price one dollar. No. 830-D.

**FOR SALE:** Tea room in largest tourists' city in Florida. Splendid location, well established and catering to exclusive patronage. No. 831-D.

**FOR SALE:** "Secret Memoirs of the Courts of Europe." Twenty-six volumes, absolutely perfect condition. Cost \$288. Sell \$100. No. 837-D.

**FOR SALE:** Antique white lace shawl over 150 years old. Price moderate. No. 823-D.

## Miscellaneous—Cont.

**FOR SALE:** Fifty-four-inch linen lunch cloth. French and eyelet embroidery. Large basket in one corner with scattered butterflies and daisies. Hemstitched hem. No. 841-D.

**FOR SALE:** Beautiful bedspread, Irish crochet strips, joined with Irish linen embroidered in heavy rosebuds filled with French knots and crochet roses. No. 842-D.

**TROUSSEAU**, never worn; unusual negligees, boudoir caps, party underwear, hand-made; sketches submitted; charming gifts, Christmas, engagement. Place cards, two dozen each; tango and ballet dancers. No. 843-D.

**FOR SALE:** Several fine old cameos of different sizes, in original mountings. Adaptable for brooches, pendants, scarf pins. Make distinctive and most acceptable gifts. No. 844-D.

**DIAMOND** brooch, 15 perfect stones on finely wrought gold. Purchase price, \$1300—sale price, \$1000. No. 846-D.

**FOUR** Savonnières rugs, red center, with border in French colorings. Largest 10x12 feet. Smallest 3 1/2 x 3 1/2 feet. Very handsome. Perfect condition. No. 848-D.

**RUSSIAN** sable coat \$500—cost \$2500. Gorham silver knives, forks, spoons and carving set; lace table cloth; lace bedspread; finger bowls and wine glasses. Every article sold at great sacrifice. No. 850-D.

**AN** old painting of a Carlo Dolce Madonnâ, purchased in Italy, many years ago, in good condition. Hand-carved Florentine frame. No. 851-D.

**BEAUTIFUL** pastel, by French artist André, 21 inches x 28 inches. Best offer accepted; can be seen any time in New York by appointment. No. 852-D.

**FOR SALE:** Millinery Shop, fashionable section of Chicago. Refined, up-to-date appointments. Color scheme green oak, tan and old rose. French windows, filet curtains, pergola inside. Splendid opportunity. No. 857-D.

**AEOLIAN PIANOLA ROLLS.** Wish to buy reasonably only well preserved, 88 note, Metrostyle and Thermoist rolls. Desire exclusively rolls of Classical Music of any kind. No. 858-D.

## Wanted

**WANTED:** Winter suit for second mourning, size 34-36. Fur trimming preferred. Must be reasonable, in good condition and up to date in every particular. No. 244-B.

**WANTED:** Dancing frock, simple, up to date, in fresh condition. Size 34 or 36. Reasonable. Describe. No. 245-B.

**WANTED:** To purchase wearing apparel from a good dresser for lady of 24, 5 feet, 4 inches, slender. Excellent condition, and moderate price. No. 246-B.

**WANTED:** Infant's layette. Must be moderate in price and in good condition. No. 247-B.

**WANTED:** Fur coat, near or French seal, at reasonable price, about 54 inches length, size 36 or 38. Also wanted this season's suit or dresses. No. 248-B.

**WANTED:** Two sets high grade furs, must be in good condition and cheap. Also wearing apparel, sizes 16 and 36. No. 249-B.

**WANTED:** Fur collar and cuffs or neck-piece, and muff of any kind though dark preferred; suitable for remodeling; must be cheap. No. 250-B.

**WANTED:** Baby caracul coat, best quality, good model, good condition. Size 38. No. 251-B.

**WANTED:** By young woman, 22, 5 feet, 5 inches, slender, to purchase wearing apparel, regularly, from very smart dresser. Perfect condition absolutely necessary. No. 252-B.

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## SALES AND EXCHANGES—Continued

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**WANTED**: Small classes in New York to teach sewing and cooking, in private families or schools, by a highly trained young lady with references. No. 629-C.

**WANTED**: By capable, aristocratic Englishwoman position as chaperon, traveling companion or private secretary to young girl or lady. Highest social references both England and America. No. 630-C.

**WANTED**: A young Englishwoman fully qualified in the care of breeding, showing and improving of domestic and fancy animals, birds, etc., desires a position where she would take charge of same, or as companion to lady interested in such. Have successfully exhibited in England and America. Best references in both countries. No. 631-C.

**WIDOW** wants position as companion to wealthy and refined woman. References exchanged. No. 632-C.

**REFINED**, capable woman of fifty desires position as managing housekeeper or traveling companion. Would go anywhere. References exchanged. No. 633-C.

### Professional Services—Cont.

**WANTED**: Young woman who can translate French into English. Work to be done at home. Full details in first letter; New York City only. No. 634-C.

**REFINED**, educated young woman wishes secretarial position in private family. Could also supervise outdoor sports of young or delicate children. Accustomed and willing to travel. No. 635-C.

**ENGLISHWOMAN**, refined, practical, having small income, wishes position supervising housekeeper in refined family, care motherless children, moderate salary; or position as chaperon or companion. No. 636-C.

**REFINED** young woman wants position as companion or mother's helper. Satisfactory references given and expected. No. 637-C.

**LADY**, adaptable, good disposition, desires position as companion or companion-housekeeper to semi-invalid or elderly person. References exchanged. No. 638-C.

**REFINED** American woman, practical nurse, desires position in southern California or warm climate; not afraid of work. No. 639-C.

**EUROPEAN** gentlewoman, highly cultured, great linguist, seeks visiting position as finishing governess or companion. Especially valuable to women visiting New York. Experienced chaperon and competent shopper. No. 640-C.

**SOUTHERN** gentleman, 35. Of standing, with thorough business training and experience, desires position as manager or financial secretary to party, lady or gentleman. Investments, collections, payments and all details pertaining to management of estate properly executed. Bond in required amount and meritorious references furnished. Correspondence confidential. No. 641-C.

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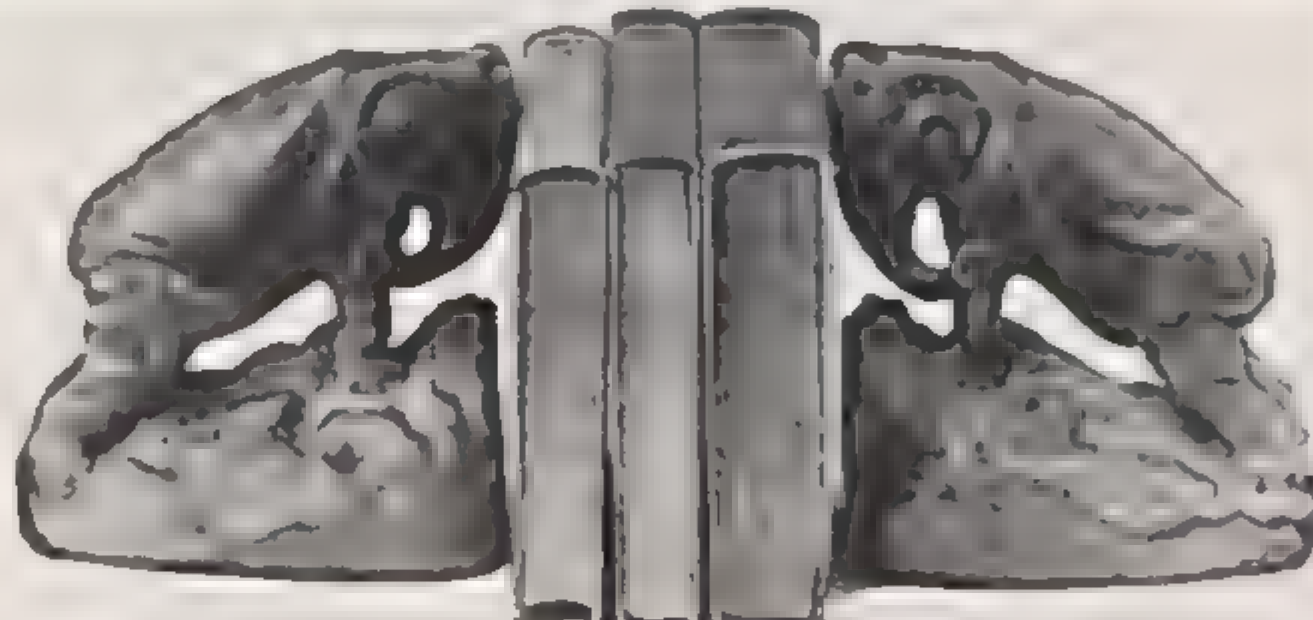
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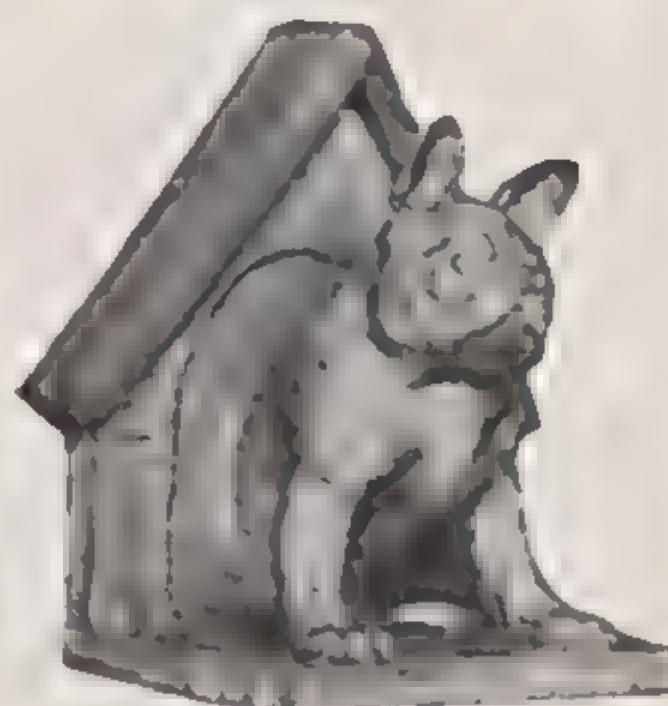
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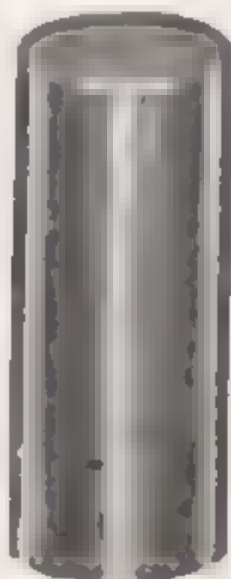
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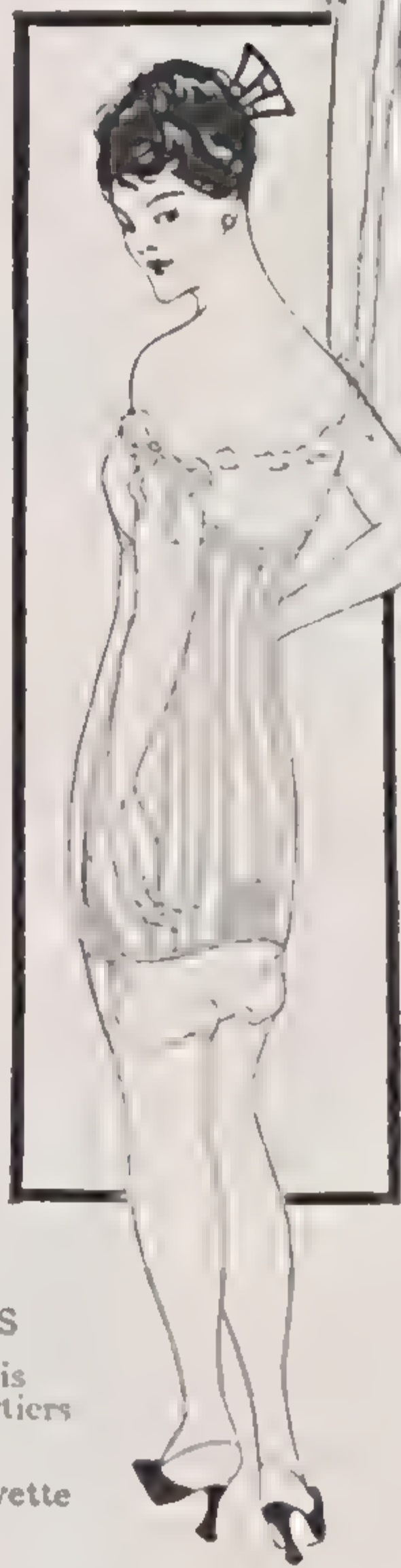
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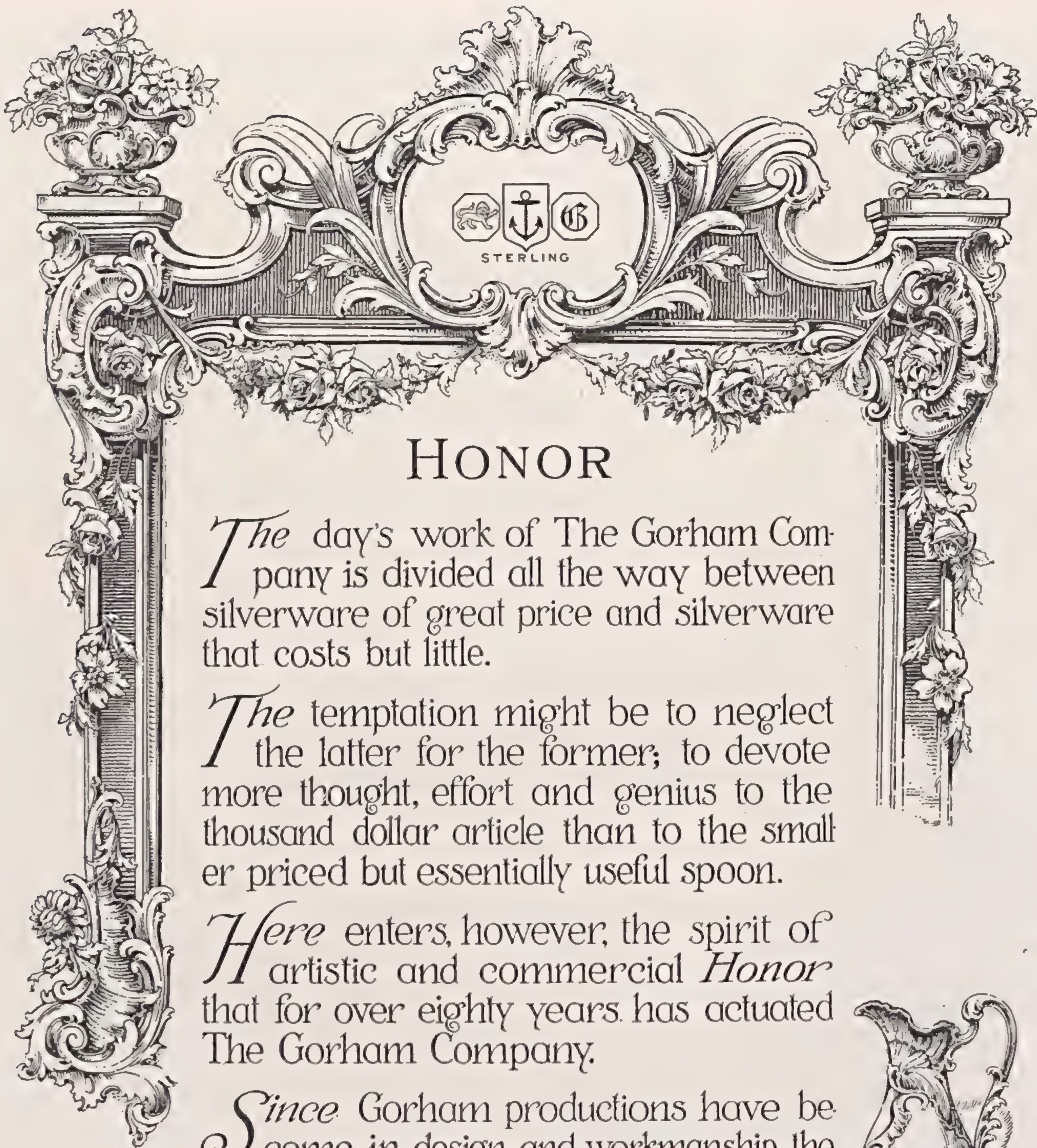
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PAGE 10 tells what happens to those who do their Christmas shopping in the old-fashioned, lackadaisical way. On the other hand, it tells how easy the shopping becomes when you rely on Vogue during the Christmas gift-buying season. The next three numbers of Vogue will solve the problem of choosing your gifts, and of buying them also; for Vogue is ready to do any part of the purchasing for you.

Did you know that the Vogue Shopping Service originated at Christmas? A good many years ago, we rather hesitatingly offered to buy any gift shown in that year's Christmas number. We hesitated, not because we were half-hearted in making the offer, but because we doubted whether anyone desired it. But several thousand readers *did* accept; and thereupon Vogue made the invitation a standing one, open all the year around. But, if by chance you have never allowed Vogue to shop for you, Christmas is perhaps the very best time of all to begin.

Elsewhere in this Vogue you will find many advance suggestions for gifts, including those like marked silverware which have to be ordered well ahead of time. It is not too soon to begin buying these now, especially if you live at a distance from New York and fear to trust last-minute deliveries.

### THE FASHION FÊTE

In the last Vogue appeared a short announcement of the Fashion Fête—a great New York exhibition of fashions created this autumn by the smart metropolitan dressmakers. The Fête is under the patronage of society, and the auspices of Vogue. A more detailed announcement appears on page 103, although as this Vogue goes to press, it is still not possible to give the complete program.

The money raised through the Fashion Fête will be devoted, through the Committee of Mercy, to the relief of women and children, of whatever nation, who have been left destitute by the war.

That a real need existed for this Fashion Fête, everyone knows. With Paris stricken by the war, the honor of designing fashions has this autumn been thrust upon New York. The situation that evoked the Fête is discussed editorially on another page in this number—it is all part of Vogue's purpose to give you the latest, smartest fashions despite any contingency in Europe or at home.

### THE PATTERNS ON PAGE 26

Six Vogue Patterns of a high degree of excellence—in fact, the six models which up to now have been the most widely appreciated of our autumn offerings—are gathered together on page 26. When you buy one of these patterns, your judgment in choosing it is backed by the combined judgment of the great jury of women who have been using Vogue Patterns this autumn. A list of material requirements, and full directions for making up, accompany every pattern. They are so simple that even an amateur seamstress, to say nothing of a professional, will have no difficulty in executing them.

TO read Vogue's Vanity Number—the next Vogue—is to prepare yourself thoroughly for the winter season that is now so close ahead of us. Side by side with the latest fashions, this Vanity Number will present all the latest accessories to the finished costume.

For the leading article of the Vanity Number we have gone straight to the highest authority,—the famous Morgan collection. From this collection we have photographed a goodly number of “*bijoux intimes*,” including antique smelling bottles, needle cases, patch boxes, and umbrella handles. These will serve as inspirations for what you may buy for yourself, and for gifts to your friends.

Two pages of fancy dress, a subject which is one of Vogue's specialties, will be illustrated with original designs by Helen Dryden and by Irma Campbell. There will be photographs of the new coiffures; a great deal of jewelry from the best shops; a page or two of fittings for the boudoir; many novel hair ornaments; and all the latest soaps, lotions, toilet creams, and other invaluable aids to beauty.

The fashions in the Vanity Number include sketches of the new neckline, and many novel designs from the best New York dressmakers and shops.

Anne Rittenhouse continues her studies of the Paris couturiers with a vivacious paper on the women dressmakers. “Seen on the Stage” will, as always in the Vanity Number, be enlarged and amplified by many more pictures and notes than usually appear in it.

### IN HER BOUDOIR

In the Vanity Number, appropriately enough, will be three pages of really unusual photographs of models posed in boudoir frocks amid the dainty comforts of the boudoir.

There will also be a set of photographs showing the boudoirs of several prominent New York women. The furniture, in most cases, includes reproductions of famous old pieces, for instance, Marie Antoinette's bed in the Petit Trianon. With these pictures before you, it will be not difficult to add new and attractive touches to your own room and your guest room.

### DECORATIVE PETS

A very unusual article in the next Vogue will show how Madame la Mode is using her pets as decorations for herself and for her house. The lean white wolfhound stretched in front of the fire—the goldfish in his painted bowl—the parrot in his Japanese hand-carved cage—these dependents of Madame are even more decorative in her boudoir than they were in their native surroundings of the steppe, the stream, or the jungle.

If you are having any trouble at all in getting Vogue from the newsdealers, it is easy to forestall it by putting your name down in advance for your copy. There is an unusual demand for Vogue at the present time; women everywhere have turned to it as sole arbiter of the fashions. Therefore, to make quite sure of the Vanity Number, tell the newsdealer immediately that you will want it.

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**MRS. HOWARD  
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*Mrs. Cushing, who was formerly Miss Ethel Cochrane, daughter of Mr. Alexander Cochrane of Boston, in her gowning tends always toward the Arabic and the Persian, never toward the Parisian. She is the subject of many of her husband's portraits and decorative figure arrangements, to which her type of beauty as well as her type of gowning lends itself admirably. This photograph by Baron de Meyer bears witness to her talent for being decorative. Mrs. Cushing is one of the best tennis players Newport boasts*



VOGUE



*A poster maiden, slim and tall and blue and yellow, to herald the opening of the Fashion Fête*

## THE STORY OF THE FASHION FÊTE

IT is 7:30. In half an hour the curtain rises. In her little gray dressing-room the ingénue, rosily corseted, is very earnestly making a round pink chin still rounder and pinker. For it is her roundness and pinkness that make her such an altogether ingénue. Comes at her door so suddenly sharp a tattoo of impatient knuckles that she almost bites off the tip of her little tongue, absorbingly held between the prettiest teeth you have never seen; and the manager "who every one knows has the shaggiest temper on Broadway" pushes his head, which the ingénue has often crossly told him "looks just like his temper," through her doorway.

"Bad news," he growls at her, though he knows that at the hearing of it she will grip the glass edges of her little gray dressing-table till her finger-tips are scarlet, to keep from crumpling to the floor. "Miss Leading Lady has confoundedly broken something—an arm or a toe or a heart—and can't get here. So you play lead to-night. Here, take off that baby paint and try to look grown-up, for heaven's sake. Get into some regular clothes, paint a little sorrow under your eyes, and—don't look at me as though I had choked your pet canary—get mad at me, rage, tear around a little—anything to get your blood up. Only don't whimper. That's not your part. Show me in fifteen minutes."

It must be quite awful to feel as tottery as the ingénue did then. When one so suddenly shoots up into leading-ladyhood from just a pink-and-round ingenuousness, the growing-pains must be quite bad, we should think.

### NEW YORK, UNDERSTUDY TO PARIS

This very unpleasant thing is what has just happened to New York. And New York is feeling very tottery. You see, it has always been the ingénue among the nations, and now, all of a sudden, Paris drops out of the play of fashion, and New York has to grow up in fifteen minutes and walk out in front of the curtain just as composedly and insouciantly as though it had been a sophisticated leading lady for years and years.

With Paris Sorely Stricken, and All Possible European Successors in Like Plight, New York Has Thrust upon It the Honor of Designing Fashions, and So, in the Manner of Paris, Will Hold Its First Great Fashion Opening

When we became suddenly aware that we must design our own fashions, we faced this problem: how, when our dressmakers had created their models, could they obtain a showing for them? Ah, why not in the manner of Paris?

There is nothing a Frenchman loves like a *coup de théâtre*. His life is lived with an eye to the gallery and a strong sense of the direction of the limelight. He knows his dramatic values. He adores a scene. Isn't Deauville dramatic—ten brief days of life at 500 francs a day, a season hectically short and gay when the ultra-fashionables of the nations gather to see launched fashions in dancing, in hair-dressing, in faces, and in frocks? And isn't Auteuil dramatic, and the Grand Prix, Longchamp, Chantilly, and the Côte d'Argent, St. Moritz, and Biarritz, —all of them stage-settings for the advent of fashions? And what more theatrical than the openings? Oh, they are not bad business men, these artists of France.

### THE NECESSITY OF LIMELIGHT

Arguing thus,—why not have an opening? Not an opening of one New York dressmaker after the other (no one of them alone could focus attention), but a universal, exclusively-inclusive opening at which all the first-class houses which really design should show costumes of their own creating, and all the smartest women in New York should come to see them. Why not a Fashion Fête?

So a fête will be held on November fourth at the Ritz-Carlton and thereafter for two successive afternoons and evenings when fashions designed by New York dressmakers will be formally presented to New York women.

After this wise: on a stage at one end of the ballroom, manikins, chic or pretty as the costume may require, will display garments of five classes,—afternoon and evening frocks, negligées, tailored suits with hats and furs, and wraps. These will all have been specially made for this exhibition by New York designers, chiefly those who have always done a large importing business with a lesser trade in models of their own designing and who now find themselves without sufficient supplies from Paris.



Photograph by Bolesonas & Taponier, Paris

*A painter in her own right and a sculptor, too, Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney is doubly qualified to judge the line and color of models to be entered in the Fashion Fête*





*"The fat, the thin, the indifferent, the artistic, all New Yorkers alike have worn the same gowns," comments Mrs. Ernest Iselin. "Now at least, they will have a change," says the Fashion Fête*



Photo by Aimé Dupont

*The funds derived from the Fashion Fête, of which Mrs. J. Gordon Douglas is to be a patroness, are to serve non-combatants as the Red Cross serves the soldiers*



*For charity, and to tide over the lapse in Paris fashions, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., is among those who support the project which sends opportunity knocking at the doors of New York designers*

Being something in the nature of a celebration for New York society as well as for New York fashions and textiles, this event has been christened the "Fashion Fête." Indeed, it is really our coming-of-age—not that we expect to cut loose from the apron strings of Paris (heaven grant us till our old age the sanity to follow in her footsteps!) nor even that we intend to sow a measure of wild oats, but just that, like it or not, we must now cease playing the sedulous ape and, mustering all our native resources—of talent, of initiative, of boldness, of business acumen—we must make our mark in the world. If our period of probation has been too short, if somewhat untimely we are thrust out into a world a little harsh and unappreciative, a little difficult to persuade, well,—it may make a man of us. This, we are told, is sound pedagogy.

#### THE LITTLE SISTER OF THE RED CROSS

The thing must be really fashionable or—well, it just couldn't be at all. Therefore the best dressmakers must be asked to exhibit, and every garment entered by them must be passed on by a jury of society women. Seven women, watched and admired in Europe, at all those summer and winter resorts where international society most does congregate, for their chic clothes and their chic manner of wearing them, were asked to serve as a jury. These women are Mrs. Ernest Iselin, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Mrs. Ogden



Photograph by Davis & Sanford Co.

*Mrs. James B. Eustis believes that the slogan, "Made in America," may have value for clothes as well as for other things, and that a Fashion Fête for charity is a good beginning for a brilliant season*

L. Mills, Mrs. James B. Eustis, Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, Mrs. J. Gordon Douglas, and Mrs. Arthur Scott Burden. Vogue, as organizer and directing spirit of the Fête, contributed to this jury two of its editorial staff, Mrs. Edna Woolman Chase and Miss Helen Koues.

Being, as has been said, something in the nature of a birthday celebration, all manner of festivities are planned. Everybody is donating everything, for all of the money (and there is a great deal coming in and very little going out) is for a big new charity, the Committee of Mercy, which will sow it where, in the war-stricken countries, it will give most relief to the women and children whom war has robbed of bread-winners. The Ritz-Carlton is donating its ballroom, the debutantes of the season their prettiest services and their sweetest smiles as ushers, The Rosary a mass of flowers, several well-known orchestras the music for the dancing that will joyously close up each evening, and society its patronage and its very active services in organizing the affair. The names of threescore of the smartest women of New York society appear in the list of patronesses, printed hereafter in this article.

#### TO A FRENCHMAN, PASTRY IS AN ART

It is a heavy responsibility, this that has been thrust upon us and that Paris has always so debonairly carried. Perhaps no other city



but Paris can ever really shoulder it. Why has not Vienna, Berlin, Petrograd, London attempted the task? For there is no denying there is honor in it—and money.

Every nation has its genius. That of France is—well, it is a genius for taking infinite pains, for pleasing, for doing things beautifully. I suppose we call it art.

#### ART FOR INSTANCE

Art is the mirror of life,—that is a truth manywheres.

Life is the mirror of art,—that is a truth in France.

There art is the actuality, life its reflection and imitation. It is not what is done, but how it is done, that chiefly occupies the Frenchman. Art, therefore, rather than morality, is his problem of life. The very living of his daily life is more art than life.

What the Anglo-Saxon worships he sets upon a pedestal; thereafter he goes comfortably about his business and forgets it,—until he chances to pass that way again. The Frenchman takes it into his home and lives on very good terms with it. Art, for instance. With an Anglo-Saxon, it is an affair of a solemn tour of a picture gallery or a ceremonious evening at the opera; to a Frenchman, pastry is an art, and politeness, and highways, and bonbon boxes, and dresses, and advertisements in the back parts of magazines, and powder for ladies' noses, and gloves, and wall papers, and postage stamps.

And Art seems none the worse for it. In fact it is doing very nicely at the Louvre and the Salons and the *Vernissages* and otherwheres that it appears in capital letters. The Frenchman has an idea that the artist can raise anything to his own level. That is why, Marty, who has many times achieved the Salon, paints candy boxes for a café, and why Bernard Boutet de Monvel designs lingerie.

#### WHY FRANCE IS FRANCE

"Art is long and life is short," sighs a French artist, turns quietly from the pursuit of an art beyond his reach, and sits him patiently down to the devising of a tiny design that some day, perhaps, Bianchini may consider worth weaving into ten yards of silk for a lady's dress:

"Art is long and life is short," pants an American artist, and limits his work thereafter to portraits, landscapes, and heroic statues, leaving it to mechanical drudges to draft conventional combinations of circles and squares to be bought by some manufacturer who knows where he can place fifty pieces of an extra quality of silk.

Well, and that, as every one knows, is why France is France and America is rich.

This has always been the spirit of France. Her centuries of civilization, the temperament and energies of her people, have always been bent to this purpose. It explains fashions, and a great many things besides. And so, in attempting to create gowns of which Paris could approve, it is not the fashions of France we have to emulate, but the spirit of France.

But Paris was not built in a day. As Art goes, America



Photograph by Baron de Meyer, N. Y.

*Though they make no boast of being first in war, fashionable women like Mrs. Ogden L. Mills, Jr., are among the first to offer aid to those bereft by war*



Photograph by Davis & Sanford Co.

*That the sphere of the American society woman is not restricted to society is proved by the interest of such women as Mrs. Arthur Scott Burden in the movement to aid the victims of war and to encourage New York designers*

is young, very young. Then, too, Art is intensive and America is extensive; it is forced to do a great number of things, and it does them—not, perhaps, wisely nor too well, but exuberantly and prosperously.

#### TO BE WORTHY OF PARIS

The fate of the Fête? That lies on the laps of the gods. There is hope in the spirit and attitude of the dressmakers. There is in them no desire to free themselves from the long dominance of Paris, but only hope that it may be soon renewed and long continued. They are, many of them, personal friends of the French dressmakers, and some are of French birth. Their art and their sympathies are strongly French. They hope, not to equal Paris, but to be worthy of her teaching; not to compete with her art and her trade, but to supply the need for them while she is incapacitated, and, perhaps, some day to contribute their share toward the art of fashion.

American fashions for American women is no part of their platform. There is, we hope, no such thing as an American fashion. It would be too awful to contemplate. All art worthy of the name is universal, not local and provincial. Besides, American women do not need a fashion of their own, different from other fashions. They are as other women are,—not knock-kneed nor web-footed, but normal human beings of the usual number of features and limbs. A French dress looks as well on a chic Austrian as on a chic Frenchwoman. So would any good-looking dress.

#### IS THIS DISASTER OR OPPORTUNITY?

Here then is the situation: over there is Paris, fighting and wearing mourning, and paying not the slightest attention to one of its chief commandments, "Thou shalt dress the world"; and here is New York, still in a state of mind to worry about its next party frock, but never a frock of any kind coming across the waters, for Boutet de Monvel is not designing lingerie just now, and Georges Lepape isn't conceiving phantasies in ladies' garden hats and gloves, and Poiret has stopped sending home designs from the front, being occupied with a number of other things. Yet one must wear lingerie and gowns and wraps.

Our hope is, of course, that Paris will soon be returned to leadership. Disaster to Paris is disaster to us. Only, by this period of substitution that has been forced upon us we would indeed be contemptible if we did not profit. We should at least acquire confidence in ourselves, become a little less slavish in our imitation of Paris, and dare to develop whatever of talent there is in us. To do this we must learn the lesson of honestly and whole-heartedly serving art for art's sake, not for the profit there is in it. That is the way of the fashion makers of France. Oh, to be sure, they sell their fashions and, in the course of time, perhaps, wax satisfyingly prosperous, but that is not in their bond with art. If we take care of art, success will take care of itself.

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# THE LATEST, PERHAPS THE LAST, PARIS FASHIONS

TRENCHES in the streets, barricades, and reinforced gates are strange sights for eyes accustomed to the Paris of gayer days. Happily the guns,—the deadly and mysterious mitrailleuses, which have been everywhere installed, have not so far been called into action.

Although the Kaiser's army is no longer at the gates of Paris, the government remains at Bordeaux, and it is unlikely that the President and the deputies will return until the last invading foot has been lifted from French soil. So while Bordeaux hums with unwonted activities, the capital wears a strangely deserted air. Gay Paris has turned from frivolities and is setting a new and steadfast face to the world. Even the notorious Apaches have at last remembered that they are Frenchmen and have become quiet and law-abiding. There are no midnight suppers in the famous restaurants, and there is no dancing in all Paris. Parisians can not dance while France is burning. Each day brings tidings of some new vandalism—some fresh blotting out of the irreplaceable monuments of the art of past ages; but the indignation aroused by the destruction of the famous cathedral at Rheims surpasses bounds. It still seems incredible.

"PLACE AUX BLESSÉS!"

The theatres are dark. The very best and naughtiest of French plays could not now induce the Parisian to cross the threshold of a theatre. The Comédie Française, closed for the first time since the Franco-Prussian war, has been turned into a Red Cross hospital. The Hotel Ritz, like many other hostelrys, has given up most of its rooms to the hospital service. Private schools, usually filled at this season with young American and English girls, have been placed at the disposal of *La Société des Femmes de France*, and English and French women are working together there. Every building possible is being occupied by the Red Cross and rapidly made ready for the reception of the wounded who are being brought in daily—French, English, German, and the black soldiers from the east who are fighting, as though Frenchmen themselves, for France. Powder-grimed and blood-stained, but grinning cheerfully in spite of all, one sees them carried in great trucks through the streets from the Gare du Nord to their allotted cots. As they pass one thinks of the long dismal trenches on the battle-fields, marked here and there with a willow wand. Truly, the French display splendid heroism. An expression of sympathy is met invariably by the simple reply, "It is for France."

## MINGLING FROCKS AND FLANKING MOVEMENTS

Now that the tide has turned, the stream of refugees that poured out of Paris some weeks ago is beginning to trickle back, and familiar faces appear daily on the streets. The residential quarters are still deserted, but if the successes of the Allies are repeated, Paris will be speedily repopulated. Some shops are open now but there are few buyers. The French are hoarding their gold, or using it for the soldiers and the homeless, and the Americans have gone—gone in such haste that they have abandoned their luggage, and the Continent is strewn with trunks from the Channel ports to the Black Sea. The French people, while discussing the Russian army—that vanished host which is supposed to have reached France by way of England, but which displays the elusive characteristics of the great sea-serpent—occasionally give a kindly thought to the bereft travelers, and mildly wonder if the Americans will ever see their trunks again.

I said the Americans had left Paris, but not all of them have gone. Here and there one meets Americans who have braved the dangers of siege and remained in Paris, and from time to time those who have journeyed to Switzerland

Doubtless America Is Receiving the Last She Will Receive of 1914 Paris Fashions, Even though, between Bursts of Indignation That Surpass Bombs, the Couturiers Have Tried on a Military Collar Here, Some Braid There, a Sword Belt Yonder, and Packed the Results for American Refugees and Buyers until France Is Strewn with Trunks

*Editor's Note:—With these sketches in her hand and the information that "Paris is as arid of fashion material as the desert of Sahara," one of our Paris artists has arrived in New York. We present these models to our readers without any definite promise as to when we shall have others from the same source, but with the assurance that whenever Paris shows a model it will be found in Vogue. Our Paris offices are still open and a recent cablegram reads: "Vogue offices are the only ones in the entire rue Edouard VII that are now open."*



*Sprinkled with buttons and braid, plaited with military precision, and topped by a "bonnet de police" with a chou of feathers exploding in every direction*

or Bordeaux return for a few days, sometimes en route for America, and sometimes to order a gown or so from some of the few big couturiers and the many little ones who, although offering few new models, still keep their houses open to the extent of doing work to order.

As I rounded the corner of the rue de la Paix one afternoon recently, I met a charming American acquaintance who looked like a rose in

the dark green velvet suit which is sketched on this page. It was braided *à la militaire* across the front and fell in bewitching folds about the ankles. Conquering an impulse to retire precipitately and "frock up" before encountering so much magnificence, I advanced boldly. Ten minutes later over our teacups in the deserted Ritz, we were

talking war and waffles, bombs and buttons, frocks and flanking movements, while I studied the line where the adorable little toque of velvet, recognizable as the very latest fancy of millinery, met her dark hair.

It appeared that she had just returned from Switzerland, and her tales of her trip were sprinkled with uniforms and gold lace and splashed just a little with blood and tears. A little later I was permitted to see the wonders which trunks may contain even in war time. Certainly this fair American had not felt the much-talked-of financial stringency.

## NOW SLEEVELESS FOR ECONOMY

There were evening dresses of every degree of radiance, two of which are sketched at the top of page 39. The one at the left was of cloth woven of gold thread and cream silk. This golden butterfly of a gown was banded just below the arms with black velvet and further adorned with a white tulle flounce, which encircled the hips, crossed in the back, and was drawn up to form a wing drapery at the shoulders. The other gown, shown at the right, had a quaint, pointed bodice of Nattier blue velvet above a skirt of cloudy white tulle, with pink roses tucked carelessly into the folds. The hat trunk contained an assortment of marvels, of which I remember one in particular. This was the small flat turban of brown velvet which is sketched at the top in the middle of page 39. It was banded with beige ribbon and brightened by a golden bee of iridescent beads. Over it was draped a coquettish veil of brown lace.

Now that gaiety has forsaken Paris, really smart gowns are seldom seen there. The dress-making houses that remain open are making only a frock now and then for some belated traveler or an occasional gown for a bride. Such a gown is illustrated at the bottom of page 39, for, although all else in Paris is at a standstill, people still marry and are given in marriage.

## IN SOLDIER'S GARB

For the street, khaki is in great favor and the more military the frock in appearance, the smarter it is. Never by any chance is a coat open in front; all are snugly buttoned or strapped across the chest. The military coat collar has been attempted, but so far it has not proved a great success. The collar of fur, closely encircling the throat, is softer and generally more becoming. I recently glimpsed the interesting version of the khaki Norfolk of the English soldier, which is illustrated at the upper left corner of page 40. The often extreme severity of the Norfolk lines was softened by a rolling collar and cuffs of *putois*.

Another soldierly little suit seen recently consisted of a dark blue cloth coat over a bright red cloth skirt. The coat was braided in the familiar fashion across the front and upper sleeve, and was belted. At the side, instead of a sword, a fringed sash of black satin fell nearly to the hem of the skirt. The small hat was of dark blue felt of a texture resembling cloth and had a single band of braid as trimming. Smart and new, also, was a military jacket of dark blue velvet over a skirt of dark blue serge plaited in the new fashion. Not side plaited nor accordion plaited was this skirt; it had the appearance of being fluted over an iron marked with square furrows instead of the familiar rounded furrow used for "fluted" ruffles. The top of the plait was about three quarters of an inch broad and the square furrow was not less than a quarter of an inch deep.





*A great golden butterfly with white wings tremulously flutter and with bold black velvet markings below them as a foil for its gleaming radiance*

The plaited skirt has become an accepted fashion, and the circular skirt, too, is rapidly finding friends. It seems rather a pity that clothing is growing more voluminous, for the slender silhouette is so graceful and so generally suitable that one wonders whether it can be replaced by anything equally satisfactory. The revolt against the introduction of Victorian styles is evidenced by the large number of loose-fitting frocks among the latest models. Still, here and there, one sees groups of tight bodices and many-seamed, close-fitting coats camping, as it were, on the trail of the vanished mode. Georgette is making jaunty little basque-like coats to be worn with flaring circular skirts, edged with fur at the bottom, which are having some success, and even in the great salons in August I noticed several pointed bodices of silk and velvet.

#### HERE AND THERE A FROCK

Not a single theatre is open, but one can occasionally see a few people at luncheon, and a smart Parisienne who appeared at a restaurant recently wore a tailored suit which could have been made only by Premet, and which is illustrated on page 40 in the second sketch from the left. It was of white cloth and black fox and had a closely fitting coat with a wide-flaring skirt-piece. The tailored suit of claret colored cloth trimmed with brown fox, which is shown in the second sketch from the right on page 40, was worn by her companion at lunch, and it was accompanied by a muff of claret colored velvet edged with brown fur and by a toque piled high with brown feathers.

At one of the smaller shops which is doing a considerable amount of work for the travelers who have taken refuge in Switzerland, I saw not



*"What fashion has joined together, let no woman put asunder," says this creation, and the world will never know whether the veil makes the hat or the hat the veil*

long ago the trim and useful redingote which is sketched at the upper right corner of page 40. It was of *velours de laine*, collared and cuffed with long white fox. The loose wide belt was slightly lower than the waist-line, and below it



*In spite of rumors of wars, Parisians still marry and are given in marriage, and a war bride's gown is all the fairer beside a soldier husband's uniform*



*Just as though a Dresden china maiden, all blue and white, had stepped off the mantel without even glancing in the mirror to tilt her hat 1914-wise*

the coat fell in plaits, flaring slightly at the bottom. To accompany this coat there was a small hat of *velours de laine* trimmed with a military plume of white cock feathers.

Among the few new evening wraps which I have seen in the past few weeks were three which were being made for American customers. I was shown a delightful evening cloak of Nattier blue velvet, bordered with white fox, and a gorgeous wrap of yellow panne velvet, lined with chiffon of cornflower blue. Most charming of the three, however, was the smart coat of vermilion velvet which is sketched at the bottom of page 40. This was cut on *moyen âge* lines and was finished with cuffs and Capuchin collar—not a hood but a collar—of *putois*.

Another couturier was making several one-piece frocks which radiated smartness. Among them was a striking costume of brown cloth embroidered in silver thread and combined with black taffeta.

#### FURS AND FURBELOWS

As to furs, a muff and neck-piece of velvet with the merest scrap of fur as trimming is all that the true Parisienne allows herself this year. Soldiers must have medicine and bandages and warm clothing for the cold nights spent in the trenches, and all the money that can be spared is invested in these supplies for the army. There is also the unhappy fact that, while her American sister is wearing bands of fur on her winter frocks,





*A soldierly little suit, indeed, is this latest of French creations—khaki, Norfolk, sword belt, and all*

*Slender at the waist-line and wide around the hips; odd, isn't it? Shaped so much like the human figure*

*The hotels have turned into hospitals, but the Parisienne must eat, and this suit appeared at the Hôtel Ritz*

*A feminine edition of the cassock fluttering a little white flag of immunity on the diminutive hat*

the Parisienne is wearing bands of crape.

In times like these, it seems unfitting to write of anything so unessential as modes in dress, but even a devastating war cannot entirely take away the genius which lurks in the finger-tips of the *petite ouvrières* of Paris, who are always busy fashioning some new and charming accessory. Among the "thousand and one" novelties is a close-fitting collar of tightly curled caracal, above which a ruff of black tulle flares suddenly, framing the face with a somber halo. Another halo, properly placed on the head, is made of wired white tulle, sheer and fine,—a hat-brim of tulle,—which is coquettishly adjusted over the coiffure. For the "passable" arm, with a wrist which needs softening, there is a bracelet of fur with a frill of tulle attached—the tulle falling over the hand. This is to be worn with a sleeveless evening gown. Another pretty trifle is an apron of cobwebby lace, with pockets. The separate collar of linen or embroidered muslin seems to have little place in the season's fashions. The line at the neck is somewhat severe but for some reason the softening effect of linen, batiste, or lace is not desired.

A new house-gown consists of a knee-length smock of mauve velvet, round-necked and sleeveless, which is worn over a princess slip of cream satin with lace sleeves. The skirt of this slip is trimmed with lace ruffles. The same model is developed in black velvet over black satin with ruffles of black tulle. Black chiffon is used for another *robe d'intérieure*, which is of almost classic severity. Over a chemise-like chiffon slip, belted across the front only, are disposed two widths of chiffon, falling from the shoulders in front to the hem, where they are turned and carried up in the back and attached to a shallow yoke, giving a Watteau effect to the back. The long loops thus formed on each side are weighted with dull black beads.

#### BEIGE REPLACES WHITE

Black and beige, combined so much this year, take the place of the black and white combina-



*"Gr-r-r," the war dogs growl at her, "there shall be no velvet." "Pouf," she replies, "there shall be."—And there is*

tions which have been popular for so long, and there is something quaintly piquant about the new color scheme which accounts for its instant success. Frocked and hatted in beige and black one may defy a world of criticism. A hat of black velvet bears a tiny beige ostrich tip on its broad brim, and smart tailored hats of black velvet are banded with beige moire ribbon. Earlier in the season, blouses of beige chiffon embroidered with black were considered smart, and frocks of beige cloth and silk were seen everywhere.

Evening gowns are being made of black tulle and jet combined with lace so delicate that it trails on the floor like a shadow. Decorative ropes and ornaments of jet are used in preference to beaded tulle, as the tulle is too heavy. These transparently fragile creations are hung over either a white or a black lining. I recently saw a distinguished gown for an elderly woman which was of soft, shimmering gray satin, veiled with delicate black Chantilly. The lace skirt was open at the hem in front in a rounded, inverted V, and the short, square train of gray satin was veiled with a similar train of black lace. Black lace, by the way, is reserved for women of twenty-eight and over. Younger women should wear black tulle.

#### THE MODE IN MOURNING

There is no doubt that black chiffon, black tulle, and all black fabrics will figure largely in Paris fashions for a long time to come, if fashions are produced at all, for the war has plunged all France into mourning. Thousands of the men of France lie under the shallow, melancholy mounds on the desolated fields where the battle of the Marne was fought, and thousands more will sleep forever on the new battle line; but the women are left, and on their unaccustomed shoulders the burden falls. To these women the war is no longer a conflict; it is the War,—a horror, a monster of undreamed of proportions, which is devouring the earth. But the children must be fed and shod and clothed so the women work on steadily fashioning garments for American buyers, or making warm clothing for the soldiers.

E. G.



## THE THEN AND NOW OF DEAUVILLE

AN historian of the Civil War said that the only way to understand what the strife had done to the south was to have seen White Sulphur Springs before and immediately after the conflict. The same could be said of fashionable Deauville, the gay seaside, summer capital of Europe.

This enchanting resort was born in 1912, flourished and grew strong in 1913, and was buried in the summer of 1914, though, contrary to the usual sentiments, it is to be hoped that it was buried alive as was the Venus de Milo when the Germans made the near-raid on Paris.

## THE FORTUNES OF WAR

The immediate future of Deauville depends upon the fortunes of war, but of its immediate past and its pathetic present there is much to say. In the immediate past it was the serious rival of Trouville across the arm of the Channel, and successful largely because it added a casino and two hotels to its famous race-track. To Deauville, to be sure, had always come the nobility of fashion and fortune, but to Trouville had always gone the vaster amount of shekels, because everything except the races took place there.

Then the scepter of power changed in a season; there was never any chance for Trouville after the season of 1913 opened. The proud Deauville soon took upon itself the airs of a conqueror and demanded a heavy and an open purse of those who would enjoy it; one of its hotels asked a hundred dollars a day for a room during *La Grande Semaine* of August; and table d'hôte dinners were thirty francs without wine. People paid such prices without a protest, realizing that these were some of the wonders of Europe.

## THE HALCYON DAYS

Those were gay and frivolous days of August, 1913. The rue Gontaut-Biron made its reputation as the most fashionable short street in the world, except the rue de la Paix. The two hotels, the Royal and the Normandie, became, overnight, as rich, as elegant, and as expensive as the Hôtel de Paris in Monte Carlo. The hours for certain social pursuits were arranged with the regularity of the solar system; no one appeared until ten o'clock in the morning, when the riders galloped over the roads along the shore or into the splendid woods; and at eleven, the bathers appeared on the great stretch of white sand that makes Deauville the best bathing place along the rocky Normandy coast. It was not smart to bathe, one said, but notwithstanding this verdict there were always enough swimmers in the water and watchers out of the water to make the hour on the beach one of the most interesting of the day.

After eleven o'clock the parade on the rue Gontaut-Biron was the event pointed to by the hand of the fashion clock, and no one could gainsay the smartness of this parade. Up and

"Hearts Up for France!" and in an Hour This City of Pleasure Was Plunged from Balls and Sports, and Beauty on Parade into the Grim Horror of War

By ANNE RITTENHOUSE



*As swiftly as dark falls in the tropics the gloom of war swept down over Deauville*

down—in the middle of the street—the people went without aim or seeming interest. Ending their walk at one end of the street to sip aperitifs at little green tables under cover of a gabled, Normandy roof, they began it again to saunter for a while and end it at the hotel or the Casino for déjeuner at half past twelve o'clock.

## FASHION FELL LIKE A HOUSE OF CARDS

The procession, by bus or motor, started for the races at half past two, and at five wended its way back through green fields to dance and sip tea at Ciro's while Maurice danced, or at the Hôtel Royal while the Castles danced. After tea every one went home for a rest before a nine o'clock dinner in public and then—the Casino. Here, after midnight, gathered the smartest men and women in fashionable Europe, and, incidentally, one came face to face with some of the finest jewels of the world.

In these throngs were representatives from all countries, not excepting Japan or China. However, just as "Orange," a well-known head-waiter in a southern hostelry, once said in defining class distinction among his color in the hotel business, "Every darkey who stands in

front of a dining-room ain't a head-waiter," so one can say of the former throngs at Deauville, that every one who wore the raiment of royalty was not admitted to court circles. This fact, however, in no wise detracted from the brilliancy of the scenes.

Thus was life in Deauville in carefree 1913. To-day, alas, the great hotels are filled with wounded soldiers, and instead of the petulant faces of men who have lost, perhaps, at baccarat, there are the stern faces of those who are fighting for their nation. Nowhere is there a sound of music, and she who would attempt to dance would be cried down; for in the titanic happenings of the dreadful first of August, Deauville became a place as little seemly to dance in as any other in all France. The season was just opening, the hotels were booked, and villas were rented and were occupied as far up the coast as Fécamp, when the call to arms sounded and the world of fashion fell to pieces like a house that is built on sand.

## HEARTS UP FOR FRANCE!

Just outside Deauville, at the charming little Normandy village of Étretat, many of the champion tennis players of the world were scheduled to compete for a new trophy, and all the gay sports world of the coast that makes Deauville its social center expected to view the games. But instead of the gay laughter of tennis players came the tocsin of the village crier telling the dire news of war in as primitive a way as it was told back in the Revolutionary times of America. There was instant flight by the women to Spain, to Italy, to England, and to war by the men; it was veritably from the racket to the bayonet. They went to Austria, to Germany, to London, to Paris, to Petrograd; companions in pleasure went to take their stand as enemies in the trenches.

During the month of August, those who remained in or near Deauville, at the small hotels which kept open, and at the villas, saw a change, indeed, come over the social régime. Instead of the bell ringing to tell the people in the paddocks that the race was on, it rang to gather the people into the *place* to listen to the latest news from the war zone. Peasant and aristocrat stood there together, closely knit in national love and sacrifice.

Instead of the early parade in the rue Gontaut-Biron, the American men went to the field to assist the Frenchwomen in gathering the harvest; at noon the fashionable women of the colony in Étretat took the workers out their luncheon or joined them for the noon hour of rest. The peasant women looked rather askance at this harvesting help, no matter how seriously proffered and admirably done, from men in white flannels, and it was difficult to make them understand that it was "Hearts up for France," as M. Viviani said, beneath the white silk shirts. The highest excitement prevailed at all times,

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*Scarcely more than the click of a camera, and the scene set for the gayest, costliest, most extravagant fête in the world became a bivouac*



*In the golden hour before the war fell all the gay world of this twin city was as carefree as is Mrs. James E. Parrish and her dog*





THE LOOMS SET THEMSELVES TO MATERIALIZE AIRY NOTHINGS AND

TWO GOWNS APPEAR ENVELOPED IN MISTS OF TULLE, ONE SHOT

THROUGH WITH COLOR, THE OTHER STUDDED WITH POINTS OF JET

*Iridescent green and blue and jeweled and altogether like the fairy table-cloths that lay in the grass on dewy mornings in childhood, is the cobweb film of fancy that makes this gown. The web of the gown is net with flesh pink tones in the bodice and airy green in the skirt, except where a bit of white underskirt shows; and the beads that embroider it shade from white to green and blue, with three green bands and glittering ornaments to accentuate the color. Models from Mollie O'Hara*

*Vaguely like a costume from the land of cherry blossoms—or, perhaps, it is only the comb in her hair that is Japanese—at any rate, exotically un-American is this Callot creation of black satin hung with a film of black tulle which but for the myriad points of jet that visualize it would scarcely impress itself upon the observer at all. The sleeves, many, many times as wide as sleeves need be, and many times as thin, are beaded all over in patterns like the faces of clocks. A band of jet outlines the neck and a sash of blue silk the waist*

*Almost as broad as it is long is the tunic of silver lace which froths out over a subordinate pink satin skirt and is the most of what there is of this dance frock. The bodice, Grecian in its frugality and French in its lines, is of silver gauze over flesh colored chiffon with a triangle of pink satin to give substance to the front. Apparently a wreath of roses bent upon serving as a girdle broke before it accomplished its purpose and could but dangle provocatively from the waist-line*

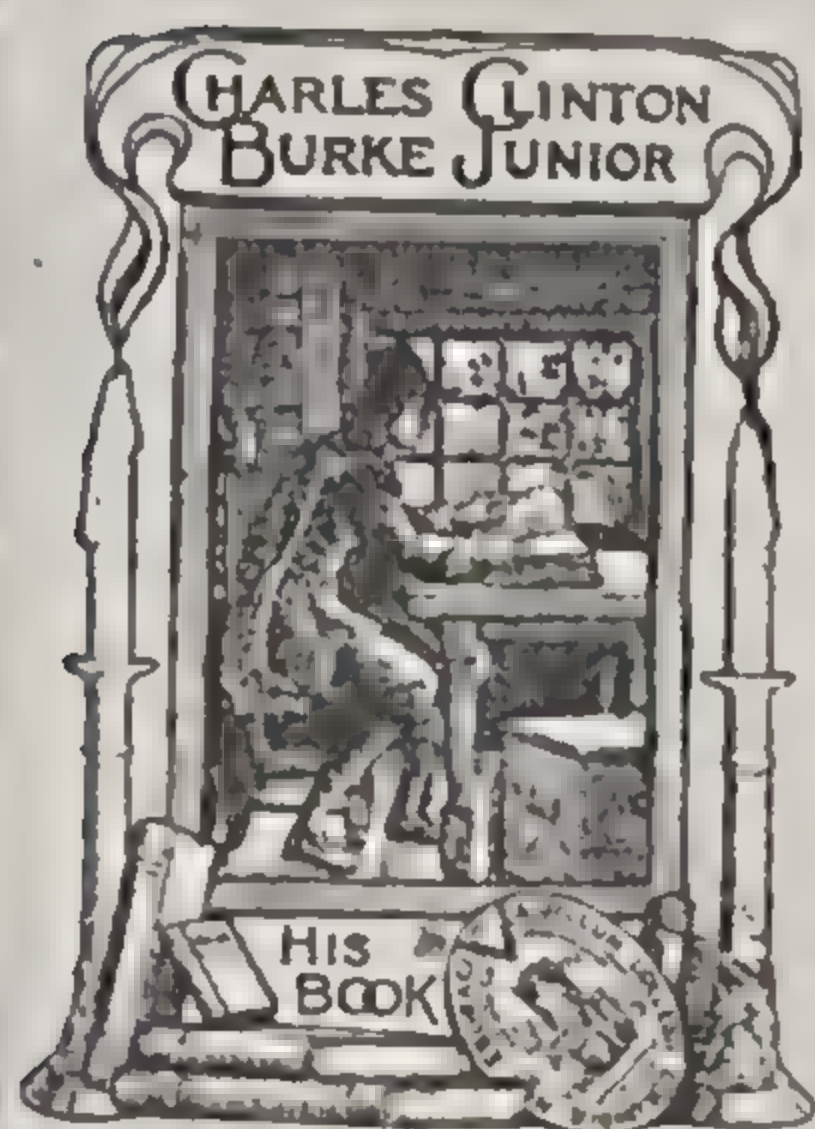


## SCRAPS OF PAPER TO RENEW THE CHRISTMAS

## TREATIES OF GOOD-WILL AND GREETING

## A DRIFT OF FLUTTERING WHITE MISSIVES

## FLECKED WITH HOLIDAY RED AND GREEN



The bookworm reading close by the window in the last rays of the setting sun is a charming book-plate design; \$25

Designed to order by Claire Avery are such decorations as the lightsome pierrot and his pet

A pretty contradiction is this; a couple of the Second Empire footing it fealty à la maxixe

A white little sprite feeding a Christmas feast to a hoop of snowbirds on a holiday card

A book-plate designed by Miss Frances Delehanty. The charge for an original plate like this is \$35, \$50, or \$75

Painted to order with names, \$40 a hundred; from designs already made, but with names added, \$30; for extra hundreds, \$25; without names, 50 cents each

EACH season the holiday greeting cards grow more attractive and the variety is greater. There are cards for every type of person, many actually designed to order with personal characteristics or sentiments on them, and others offering so wide a choice of sentiments that almost any one may be suited. The fashion of remembering a large circle of friends in this manner is becoming more popular each year. Many persons confine the giving of expensive gifts to the members of their families and to children, and send only charming cards of greeting and good wishes to their friends.

A new idea is shown in the card second from the left at the bottom of the page. It is intended to hold a group photograph in the white space, and the blank below is to be filled in with the sender's name. These cards are delightful to use where a large family is scattered, for one has only to send a chosen photograph and a card plate to the stationer and the reproductions of the photograph will be made and the name of the sender filled in.



Initials uniquely linked and beautifully colored make a stationery die a joy for as near forever as a Christmas gift may be; \$5 each

Few cards could be more personal than the three exquisite ones photographed in the middle at the top of the page. They are hand-decorated and are designed to order, with names, at \$40 a hundred. After the first hundred has been ordered cards will be duplicated for \$25 a hundred. If a card in a design already made is selected the cards are sold at \$30 for the first hundred, and \$25 a hundred for subsequent

orders. The cards themselves may be had, without names, for fifty cents each.

This season there are a great number of single cards shown, where a few years ago practically all of the smart cards were double, with the greeting on the outside and the name inside. This form is still greatly in use and is perfectly correct, but this season one sees, also, the single large card such as those shown at the lower right and the lower left of the page. The decorations are in gay colors and the cards measure about 4 by 5 inches and sell for \$8.50 and \$10 a hundred, if the card plate is furnished.

An unusual example of the large card is illustrated second from the lower right. The background of the card is white or cream in a leather effect, and the design is hand-decorated in especially beautiful colorings. Each card is enclosed in an envelop with a red lining.

A book-plate such as the one at the upper right sells for \$35 for inkline cuts, \$50 for half-tone cuts, and \$75 for photo-gravures and wood-cuts. These prices include the plate and two hundred and fifty impressions.

How far the little candle on this Christmas card throws its beams is decided merely by the address on the envelop; \$1 a dozen

A rosy plum pudding to match the rosy cheeks of the servitor and conjure up all manner of Christmas smells; \$12 a hundred

Greetings and Good Wishes from

It all makes you a happy, merry Christmas and Happy New Year to and the

With the merriest greetings of the merry season, and the best wishes of

Greetings and Good Wishes from

Splashes of holiday color are welcome, illogically in an upturned hat or in a bird's bill; when card plate is furnished, \$10 a hundred, with envelops

Delivered in person once removed are the Christmas greetings carried by the photographs of the senders; \$25 a hundred, when plate is furnished

The omnipresent holly wreath, without which Christmas would not be Christmas, is so cheery it attracts the candle flame; 25 cents each without engraving

A trail of green and red scattered prodigally across a card with a ribbon-bound basket as sure; \$8.50 a hundred when card plate is furnished





THOUGH THEY DIFFER AS TO WHERE THE WAIST-LINE SHOULD BE, THERE IS NO DOUBT IN THE LINES OF TWO DRÉCOLL FROCKS AS TO THE FACT THAT THE WAIST-LINE SHOULD BE DEFINED—AN HOUR-GLASS SET TO EVENING TIME



Although it does not trouble to tell it to the minute, this hour-glass wrap can be relied upon to denote the time between 6 p.m. and — well, there is no hard and fast rule as to when it shall cease recording time. The material of this coat is bright blue faille, silver embroidered, and the generous bandings are of skunk

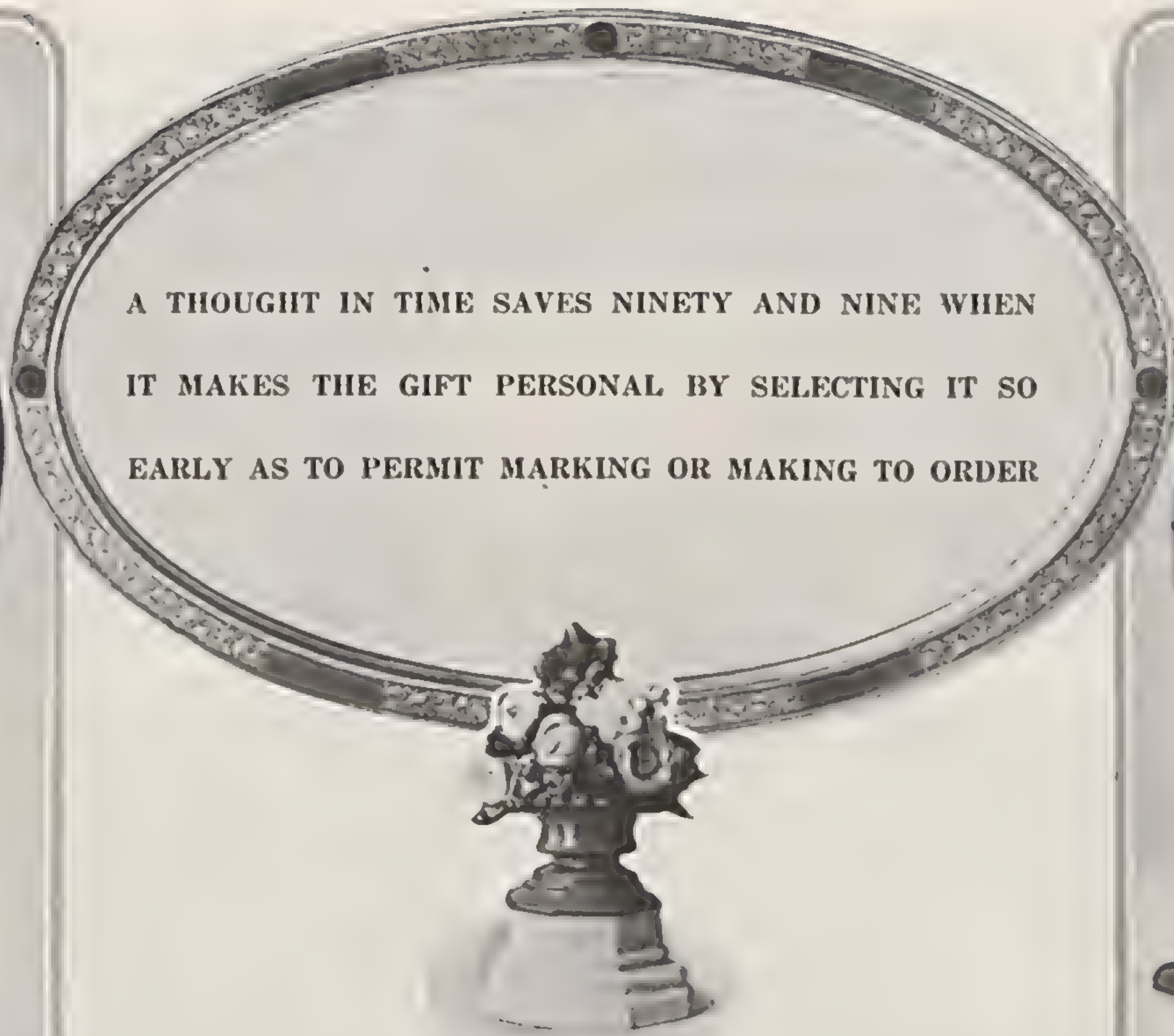
Did she not see the eccentric hem of it before she donned it, the wearer of this vermilion velvet frock might go about like the little old woman of Mother Goose lore who cried, bewildered, "Lawk a massy on us, this is none of I!" The few beads over the shoulders are pearls and pearl beads hang in a skimpy row at the edge of the modestly retiring, silver cloth petticoat

To be able to reverse gracefully is an accomplishment as necessary, it seems, to inanimate things as to human beings, for here a band of skunk somewhat the size of a big fur collar must needs retire to the ankles. The one-piece frock, which attains the coveted princess silhouette, is of biege broadcloth with a generous elaboration in self-tone embroidery





Between one fire and the complexion of the devotee of open fires, the old-fashioned fire-screen renews its usefulness. It may be ordered to suit the color scheme of any room; \$15



A THOUGHT IN TIME SAVES NINETY AND NINE WHEN IT MAKES THE GIFT PERSONAL BY SELECTING IT SO EARLY AS TO PERMIT MARKING OR MAKING TO ORDER

Reflections may well be pleasant when framed in the oval of gold and brilliant blue enamel which surrounds this mirror of fine proportion; \$20

Though designed to rest on the floor and hold a door open, door-stops of this pattern may be purchased in pairs and used as book-ends; \$4.50 each



A knitting-stand announces its mission by displaying a basket for tools, but with duplicity conceals beneath the fitted cover of the table section its capacity for hiding sewing; \$26

CHRISTMAS gifts which are hand-made, hand-decorated, or made in a special part of the country, which require special workmanship or are marked with a monogram or decorated to order take time in the making. Orders for them are not, as a rule, accepted by the shops after the first of December, and it is difficult to find anything of this kind which does not require at least two weeks for the completion of the order. It is always a pleasure, however, to give and to receive gifts of this character, which, from their very nature, carry the conviction that they are not selected haphazard at the last moment. Gifts which require this forethought on the part of the giver are illustrated with this article.

Such unusual things as the old knitting-stand of mahogany, the hand-carved fire bellows, which are 33 inches long and may be had in oak as well as in mahogany, or the sconce, which may be ordered in tones to suit any room, are sure of a welcome in any home. In the sconce, which is illustrated in the lower right corner of this page, the mirror is framed in wood painted gray and black, and the flowers in the ornamental basket are painted in gay colors. The sconce measures 24 x 13 inches.

At the lower left corner of this page is a candelabrum of graceful Italian design, which is wired for electricity and which measures 17½ inches in height and 23 inches from candle to candle. It is of dull gold, and the wreaths of fruit are in soft, rich colors.



A semblance of the "light of other days" may yet be retained, though an electric current supply the light. In dull gold with wreaths of fruit in soft colors this candelstick is \$35



Discouragers of hesitancy in fires, these hand-carved bellows wait in perpetual readiness to start something; oak, \$25; mahogany, \$28



"Bayberry candles burned to the point" would assuredly bring double luck, if burned in the sockets of this mirror of painted wood with a mirror to reflect the light; \$27.50





The service plate rests under no obligation to match the rest of the service, and hence it offers an open field of selection to the Christmas giver; with bands and monogram of gold; \$14.30 a dozen



Of graceful design is a soup cup decorated in blue and gold; bowl and plate; \$18.50 a dozen

A cocktail shaker in silver appropriately decked in wreaths of grape and vine; 8 inches; \$75

"From the Chinese" is inscribed in the design of this richly hand-decorated pitcher; 10 inches; \$15



The flat rim characteristic of the service plate lends itself well to decoration and here shows to advantage the cobalt blue and coin-gold bands of elaborate design; of imported china; \$50 a dozen

That the gift made to order is not necessarily an expensive gift is shown by the door-stop illustrated on page 45. A white base holds a green vase filled with prim, old-fashioned flowers, and the personal touch is given by ordering the colors of these flowers to match the hangings of the room for which the door-stop is intended. A pair of these door-stops may serve as book-ends. Each measures 6 3/4 inches in height and 4 inches wide.

There is seldom a home which can not find space for a mirror, when the mirror is of the delicate beauty of that illustrated at the top of page 45, which has the frame decorated in brilliant blue enamel and gold in an exquisite pattern. It measures 20 x 14 inches.

A fire screen is sure of a welcome from the devotees of open fires. That which appears at the upper left corner of page 45 is of tin on a wrought iron standard 54 inches high, measures 23 x 17 inches, and may be ordered decorated in designs to suit individual decorative schemes, if three weeks are allowed for the making. The one shown here is of black with a willow design in brown and gold in imitation of Chinese lacquer. The screen is, of course, adjustable.

A beautiful example of hand-work in silver is the solid silver cocktail shaker at the top of this page. It measures 8 inches in height and bears an appropriate design of grapes. The exquisite silver tea set shown below it, consisting of teapot with ebony handle, sugar bowl, and cream pitcher, is also hand-wrought, and there is a pleasing simplicity in its old-fashioned lines.

#### PERSONALIZING GLASS AND CHINA

Articles of crystal are always doubly successful when a unique design is selected or the gift matches a pattern already selected by the recipient. The cordial set, the decanter and one glass from which appear on this page, is most unusual in design. The liqueur glass is of a new and remarkably graceful shape and the wide

A gift befitting the hospitable hostess who makes much of the intimate function called tea



Old-time lines are carried out in a silver tea set wrought by old-time, rich hand-work; price, \$90



In this cordial set, glasses of novel shape give a wide surface to make the aroma of the liqueur more perceptible; bottle and six glasses, \$10; marked, \$14

surface which it gives makes the aroma of the liqueur more perceptible. The design in coin-gold, that is, in gold of the standard of American gold coins, on both glass and bottle is even more pleasing when accompanied by a monogram. The set consists of decanter and six glasses. China may have quite as personal a fitness as crystal if it is selected in an appropriate design and possibly with a touch of color to suit the decorative scheme of the home for which it is intended. A set of place plates may be a welcome gift, and it need not be expensive. The case might be kept moderate by selecting a simple pattern such as that shown at the upper left corner of this page, or a richly elaborate design of the type shown at the upper right corner of this page. In the latter plate, a border of glowing cobalt blue is set between two coin-gold rims of delicate design. Plates of this sort are really rare, as the work necessary to produce a color of such glowing intensity which is also durable requires both skill and time. The same kind of work, though in a different design, is shown in the cream soup cup illustrated on this page, which is of a particularly graceful outline. At the lower left corner of this page, is a complete breakfast set for two, consisting of 25 pieces, which may be ordered in various color combinations or in gold or silver. The set illustrated is decorated with a band of royal blue, edged at each side with a quarter-inch coin-gold band. The monogram in a combination of blue and gold is very effective.

#### NOVELTIES OLD AND NEW

One could hardly select a simple chocolate set of more pleasing design than the one shown at the lower right corner of this page. This was created by a prominent designer of Leipzig. The set is decorated with coin-gold and has a monogram of gold in an attractive, circular pattern. The unusual pitcher in hand-decorated china shown



Fitted to the needs of breakfast is a dainty set of imported china which becomes a personal gift when ordered decorated in colors to match the furnishings of the house and marked with a monogram to match; \$50



A set composed of a pot, tall and straight as a chocolate pot should be, accompanied by cups designed to keep the chocolate hot, limits its decoration to gold bands and a simple circular monogram; price, \$18.50





Painted tin, revived to fashion, lends itself to the construction of cigarette sets for the boudoir. These are painted to suit the individual room and decorated with bouquets of old-fashioned flowers; price of set, including tray to match, \$6.50



Colors well suited to the library are found in this long cigarette box, which comes in black, with a decoration in dull gold which follows the edges of the box. It may be ordered in a wide variety of color combinations; price, \$6



A gaily painted cedar box may sound a personal note by enclosing the favorite brand of cigarettes marked with initials or monogram \$3.50 a hundred

at the top of page 46 is a product of a studio which has done much to lift hand-decorated china from the horrors of what was formerly known as "hand-painted" china, the decoration of which usually consisted of bouquets of anemic flowers deposited at intervals on a pale background. This modern school has arrived at something so far different as to be quite unique. The design is copied from a famous Chinese piece in the Louvre and the pitcher is hexagonal and is 10 inches high, with the handles and the outlines of the panels in gold, which heightens the effect of the beautiful colors in the design.

The outfit of the dressing-table, a very personal gift in itself, may be given a yet more personal touch by having it made in enamel which matches the furnishings of the boudoir. The set which is shown on this page is of 18-carat gold and white enamel laid on sterling silver. The prices are,—mirror, \$38; hair-brush, \$31; comb, \$13.50; clothes-brush, \$26; polisher, \$19; shoe horn, \$10; nail file, \$10; button hook \$10; scissors, \$14.50; puff-box, \$34; puff, \$5.75. The set may be had also with enamel in other suitable shades to match the boudoir.

#### INTIMATE LUXURIES

Another boudoir gift is the gay little Dresden china lady, shown below the brushes, who hides a jewel case under her voluminous skirts. She is costumed in shell pink taffeta silk, with a gold gauze overskirt caught with hand-made French rosebuds, and she is 9½ inches high. Her sister, who is not illustrated here, although outwardly she bears a strong resemblance, is in reality a charming night-light, and shades the bulb by her skirts so that it gives the softest of lights. She, like her sister, may be ordered in any color to match the boudoir.



In this toilet set of gold and enamel, individuality may be attained by varying the color of the enamel to suit the boudoir; price of set of eleven pieces, \$211.75



The Dresden lady who hides the jewel box beneath her voluminous skirts has a sister who similarly shades a night-light; jewel box, \$8; night-light, \$10



The motorist when facing the chill winds of January will appreciate the Christmas gift of robe clips; price, \$4

The vase to hold flowers escapes the ban on dust-collecting ornaments. Of copper with silver initials; 6¼ inches; \$3

A paper-knife of businesslike appearance reduces ornament to initials in silver inset in the copper of the knife; \$1.75



Without preparatory demand for pennies a cigarette is ever in the groove, ready to the hand of the busy worker; \$6

Quaint and attractive cigarette sets are made in painted tin. That shown at the upper left corner of this page may be ordered in colors suited to the boudoir and gaily decorated with old-time bouquets. It measures 3 x 4 inches. The long narrow cigarette box, at the upper right corner of this page, is 6¼ x 3¾ inches, and comes in dark tones more suited to the library. It is also in tin, and may be had in innumerable color combinations.

Cigarettes themselves, if of the brand preferred by the recipient and if marked with the monogram, become a gift showing personal thoughtfulness. The cigarettes illustrated with the box in the middle of this page have achieved an enviable reputation. In a strong blend they are \$2.50 a hundred, and in a mild blend \$2, with gold, cork, or plain tips. The monogram costs \$1 for a hundred, but with 500 the monogram is included.

#### FOR MERE MAN

Desk fittings offer one satisfactory solution of the problem of gifts for men. At the lower right corner is a brass cigarette holder 5 inches high, with a monogram, conventional or to order, cut through the brass.

A combination of two metals is shown in the paper-knife and in the small vase for flowers, illustrated on this page. These are of copper with initials in sterling silver inlaid.

At the lower left corner of this page is shown a gift to find favor in the eyes of the motorist. This is a pair of substantial robe clips of brass or nickel, which may be marked with the monogram cut through the metal.

Note.—Addresses of the shops will be furnished on request, or the Shopping Department of Vogue will buy for you without extra charge. Address Vogue Shopping Service, 443 Fourth Avenue, N. Y.



AT BELMONT PARK, THE  
MEADOW BROOK STEEPLE-  
CHASE ASSOCIATION OPENED  
WITH A DISPLAY OF GOWNS,  
HORSES, AND DÉBUTANTES

*For seventy-five years, beneath the fine old mural decorations of the Turf and Field club-house have been held the gay reunions of the followers of the turf, and among those who followed the established custom of pre-facing a Meadow Brook meet by luncheon there, were Mrs. Montaigne La Montagne and Mrs. William Erhart*



*Mrs. Joseph E. Davis, who watched her husband's horses at Belmont Park—as a director of the National Steeplechase Association, he, poor man, had only fifteen minutes for luncheon on the day of the Meadow Brook meet—proved how decorative fitch may be against maroon broadcloth. With her is Mr. Thomas Hitchcock*



*Mrs. and Mr. James A. Roosevelt and Mr. Lorillard Spencer (at the right) were among the many at the meet of the Meadow Brook Steeplechase Association who cheered Mr. Joseph E. Widener's "Conqueror" and Mrs. Payne Whitney's "Cherry Malotte" past the goal as winners—and lost perhaps on Mr. Gerry's "Footlights"*



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*Mr. W. Plunkett Stewart, Mrs. Victor C. Mather, Mrs. Alexander Brown, and Mrs. David B. Sharp attended the twentieth anniversary of the Bryn Mawr Horse Show which opened the Philadelphia social season with a hound show, the first appearance of the debutantes, and an exhibition of daring feminine riders who urged their spirited hunters over the brush and rail jumps at the Bryn Mawr Polo Club*

*Mrs. James B. Eustis attended the Meadow Brook meet in a black cloth gown, which she lately brought from Paris. Mrs. Eustis is to be a patroness of the Fashion Fête at the Ritz-Carlton in November*

*Miss Claire Bird was one of the nine out of every ten women who heralded the approach of winter even in late September by wearing furs to the Meadow Brook Steeplechase Association meet at Belmont Park*



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## A S S E E N b y H I M

WHAT can we expect, I wonder, of the coming season? Débutantes, of course, there will be; but no Horse Show, though the omission of any of the former rites of society counts for naught these days. We may comment upon it, perhaps, for a brief period, but then we forget. One by one the great annual events around which the lesser affairs of the season clustered are dropped, and society loses something in picturesqueness if not in entertainment. Who asks now in the spring whether or not there is to be a coaching parade? The last one seems so long ago; and besides, with the park crowded with motors, such an assemblage, in this second decade of the twentieth century, would look amazingly old-fashioned. However, it is not likely this fate will overtake the Horse Show—not for some years to come, at any rate. It was only the unsettled state of matters in Europe which prevented plans being formed for this November.

## PERKING UP UNDER MISFORTUNE

New York is not in the least dependent upon any set custom for a successful and brilliant year in society. We thought at one time that it would be impossible to have a winter without Mrs. Astor's ball and that this must take place about the second week in January. When the last of the great society leaders was thrown into mourning or when she was building her new house, there was a wild scurrying among other hostesses to replace the *clou* of the winter with some other entertainment. But now we can do without. Also the old customs in connection with bringing out a débutante have become obsolete. It is no longer necessary for a débutante to be on exhibition six days in the week, matinées and evenings, stared at by all who could afford a dollar for the spectacle and thus, by rivaling the show within the ring, to qualify herself for the social ordeals of the winter. Gradually, also, the débutante tea, at first a modest function and later a twelve-hour performance, is being given up. The Assemblies and the Patriarchs disappeared with the advent of this century, and now the Junior Cotillon has been replaced by a dancing class. And yet the New York season has increased steadily in gaiety and brilliancy.

New York society will be the more brilliant this season by the number of entertainments to be given for charities which are to lessen in some slight degree the suffering of the European war. One affair of quite stupendous proportions which is already well under way is a wonderful Fashion Fête to be held at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel on November 5, 6, 7, under the patronage of Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Mrs. August Belmont, Sr., Mrs. Philip M. Lydig, Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, Mrs. Vincent Astor, Mrs. J. Gordon Douglas, Mrs. French Vanderbilt, Mrs. Oren Root, Mrs. T. Suffern Tailer, Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Francis C. Bishop, Mrs. Sidney S. Breese, Mrs. Cornelius N. Bliss, Jr., Mrs. Peter G. Gerry, Mrs. Lydig Hoyt, Mrs. George Peabody Eustis and many other women who are giving freely of their time and their services to make this affair a notable success. The proceeds are to go to the Committee of Mercy, the little sister of the Red Cross, which has been organized

## Ring Out the Régime of the Summer and Ring In the Functions of the Winter— Setting an Example to the Naughty Nations



*"I could not love thee, dear, so much,  
Lov'd I not honour more,"  
and then—Waterloo*

by the Duchess of Marlborough in England and by Mrs. J. Borden Harriman in New York for the relief of the women and children now destitute.

## FILLING THE RANKS

We can not count much upon the usual foreign element which is such a factor in our season. So many Europeans are in mourning and not a few of the young men who were here last winter have laid down their lives for their country. This, of course, alters the personnel of European society enormously, and great changes have already taken place in the order of succession; younger sons and distant cousins who never dreamed of succeeding to the title are now in direct line.

And for the spring season, I think myself that as this autumn has been such a crowded one for the suburbs and neighborhoods around the city, with any kind of decent weather the spring will find the country houses all occupied and much going on. Florida and Aiken will have banner seasons and there will be much travel to the far south, to the Panama Canal and to regions beyond, now easily accessible. In fact, we will begin to realize our own resources.

All this sounds like the prophecies in the almanacs of the astrologers, but I am sure that there is a firm foundation for them. And, talking of prophecies, why was it that no seers except those who lived centuries ago uttered

the slightest warning of the portentous events of the year? Even Madame de Thebes predicted nothing more definite than that the death of the Pope would occur some time during the year, but that she did for each twelvemonth. The famous English almanacs foretold only that in August Belgium would be slightly disturbed, and it was.

Then there is another question. Will there be many new people? Last winter, New York alone welcomed gladly a score or more of new hostesses. Some of these, however, had only reappeared on the horizon for the purpose of bringing out a daughter. A few, though, were absolutely new. I only hope we may have as many more this winter. In this generation we have no parvenus. Those who join the ranks are people who belong there. They are the product of a gradual state of progression. They are refined, educated, cultured, and they are only seeking their right to be included among the elect. They do not rush in. They wait until the psychological moment. Not a few of the most delightful affairs of last winter were given by new people. I have no doubt that some of them were sponsored or received instructions from others long "in the swim," but that makes no difference.

## AS TO WEDDINGS

We have had many weddings this autumn, a number of them in the country. It has been a good year for débutantes and the "crop" of two-year-olds is small as the ranks have been greatly depleted by summer weddings. Naturally Newport finished a bit dismally, but those were parlous days. There was much more gaiety at Bar Harbor and there was a delightful season at the Virginia White Sulphur and the Hot Springs.

Although there were no cup races, there was an early influx into town and even in September the hotels were crowded with New Yorkers, and the "provinces" were brilliantly represented.

I must confess the theatrical output was disappointing. We have either thrillers or boisterous farce, but perhaps in view of the circumstances there could not have been a better selection to have distracted our attention from serious matters.

## AN EXAMPLE TO THE NAUGHTY NATIONS

The really frankly indecent plays of which we had more than our share last season have suddenly been relegated to a well-deserved limbo. The craze for them is dead and gone and their mourners are the decadents, who shake their heads and insist that we are too hypocritical to enjoy virile drama. There are new ordinances, I believe, as to the disposition of this virile trash, and these apply to both so-called literature and the stage. So to-day we can take a bashful young girl of sixteen to nearly any of the plays on Broadway, and the periodicals have gone quite to the other extreme from the indecency of last year and are emulating the prudery of the Elsie books. But that is the way of these United States. We always exaggerate and we love contrasts. Just now we have a pardonable pride in our exceeding rectitude and in being a wonderful example to the naughty nations of the other half of the world. Just look at us! But let us not forget the pharisee.





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## L A D Y B E A T T Y

*Lady Beatty, the wife of Rear-Admiral Sir David Beatty, and only daughter of the late Marshall Field, of Chicago, has placed her yacht "Sheelah" at the disposal of the English government for hospital purposes. Sir David Beatty, who at twenty-seven was acclaimed a military prodigy, was invested with the order of the K. C. B., on July 20, and is now rear-admiral of the English battle-cruiser squadron which figured in the recent encounter off Heligoland*



# PHILOSOPHY ON OPPOSITE SIDES OF PLATE GLASS

Some of the Misleading Refractions Which Plate Glass,  
However Transparent and However Thin, Induces When Used  
as a Medium for the Observation of One Class by Another

WHEN the professionally "unemployed" man with an I. W. W. button (and very few others) on the breast of his coat, passes the club window he privately curses those inside comfortably reading the newspapers behind excellent cigars, and would like to heave a brick through the pane just to express his class consciousness. Meanwhile, those behind the polished crystal have, perhaps, quite as lively a class consciousness as the outsider, though their method of expressing it is different. The social philosophy of the man looking savagely into the club window from the sidewalk, and that of the member serenely gazing out at the "man in the street," are apt to be equally at fault, and for the same reason that makes each a bad judge of the other,—the failure of either to guess the other's genesis, history, condition, and point of view.

MEN of normal mind and average condition seem in all times to have reasoned pretty well where their interests or passions were not too actively concerned, but they have always been prone to reason from insufficient data, so that their conclusions were, and are, often woefully vitiated. It is easy to believe this "the best of all possible worlds" if one happens to be philosophizing amid the comforts that lodge behind the club window; it is equally easy to believe this the worst of all possible worlds if one philosophizes amid the discomforts of the wintry street with the tantalizing spectacle presented by the club window in full view; and each philosophy is almost necessarily vitiated by the condition of the philosopher. Had the political economists of the chair vacated their cloistered ease and come to know the conditions of which they wrote by actual contact and personal experience, perhaps political economy would have hit nearer the truth and not have been called "the dismal science."

NOT only are we apt to have scant acquaintance with those outside our own somewhat narrow entourage, but we are prone to assume a knowledge of the other man's mind and motives totally unjustified by the degree of such acquaintance. A man who had patiently heard himself misinterpreted to a small company by a presumptuous friend, permitted the latter to finish his little feat of mind-reading and then said, "Thank you, my dear fellow; if you learn anything else about me that I don't know, please tell me promptly, and if it seems really important, don't hesitate to telegraph me at my expense."

ALTHOUGH plate glass is transparent and not very thick, it is apt to be an effective social non-conductor, and as a medium through which one class

may observe another it is subject to misleading refractions. There is always the possibility that the man outside the club window, did he really know the mind and heart of the man inside, would rather shake his hand than heave a brick at his head. The plan recently adopted, however, of asking the outsider in for a cocktail and a sandwich is a bit fantastic, and is quite as futile a means of learning how the other half lives as is the custom of amateur slumming. In each instance the visitor feels himself awkwardly out of place, and realizes that his attitude is little better than an artificial pose, which is worse than useless for the promotion of mutual understanding. The poor, and especially the revolutionary poor as led by the professional agitator, assume that the walls between social classes are of material structure; but they are rather airy creations of the mind, though they are none the less effective barriers on that account. Destructive social philosophers make the further mistake of assuming that the ruin of palaces and the devastation of private pleasure-grounds hasten the millennium. On the contrary, now, nearly a century and a quarter after the revolutionary reign of terror, France is torn by the bitterest of class hatreds, threatened by a new set of revolutionists, and insolently offered the peace of the empire by a silly Bonapartist pretender.

NO one class, however large, or however wise in its own conceit, can solve the American social problem, nor can the classes effectively get together by the cheaply romantic expedient of occasional social contact between the howling street brawler and a few fashionable men and women in evening dress. Some of the comfortable abolitionists who entertained old John Brown of the eagle lip and hawk eye at Boston and furnished him funds for an obscurely divulged purpose, were inexpressibly shocked and scared at the news from Harper's Ferry in October, 1859. To sit face to face in a pleasantly lighted room with a bearded ruffian who, it is whispered, has actually made bombs to promote social revolution, must be a titillating experience to a youth or maiden who expects to inherit a few millions of dollars, but it is little better than worthless as a means of political education. Sympathetic study and observation such as shall enable one class to understand the conditions and ideals of the other can not thus be brought about. The men on either side of the club window must meet somewhere on neutral ground and find a mutual understanding and common point of view, if the solution of the social problem is not to be clumsily and expensively attempted. After all, the philosophers on opposite sides of the pane may not be so far apart as some of us are accustomed to think.





# CLUB-HOUSES WITH THE CURTAINS UP

Glimpses over the Shoulders of the Rows of Benign Elderly Gentlemen, Exquisite Young Dandies, and Distinguished Litterateurs Who Sit in Bas-relief across New York Club Windows

IF any old-stager, rustling his newspaper at the mere mention of the innovation of a "ladies' day," and "a mob of women, sir, swishing over the house, and turning you and me out of our chairs, by Jove," will go into the library and turn over the files of *The Spectator* he will discover that the custom of having a ladies' day is not of such recent origin as he supposes, and that in the house rules of a certain club described there, all members were "to be charged with what their wives drank and smoked"! This instance is admittedly an exaggerated one, but we know Mrs. Bracegirdle was elected an honorary member of the Kit-Cat, and that Mr. Pepys "did take his wife to dine" at the Pope's Head in Fleet Street.

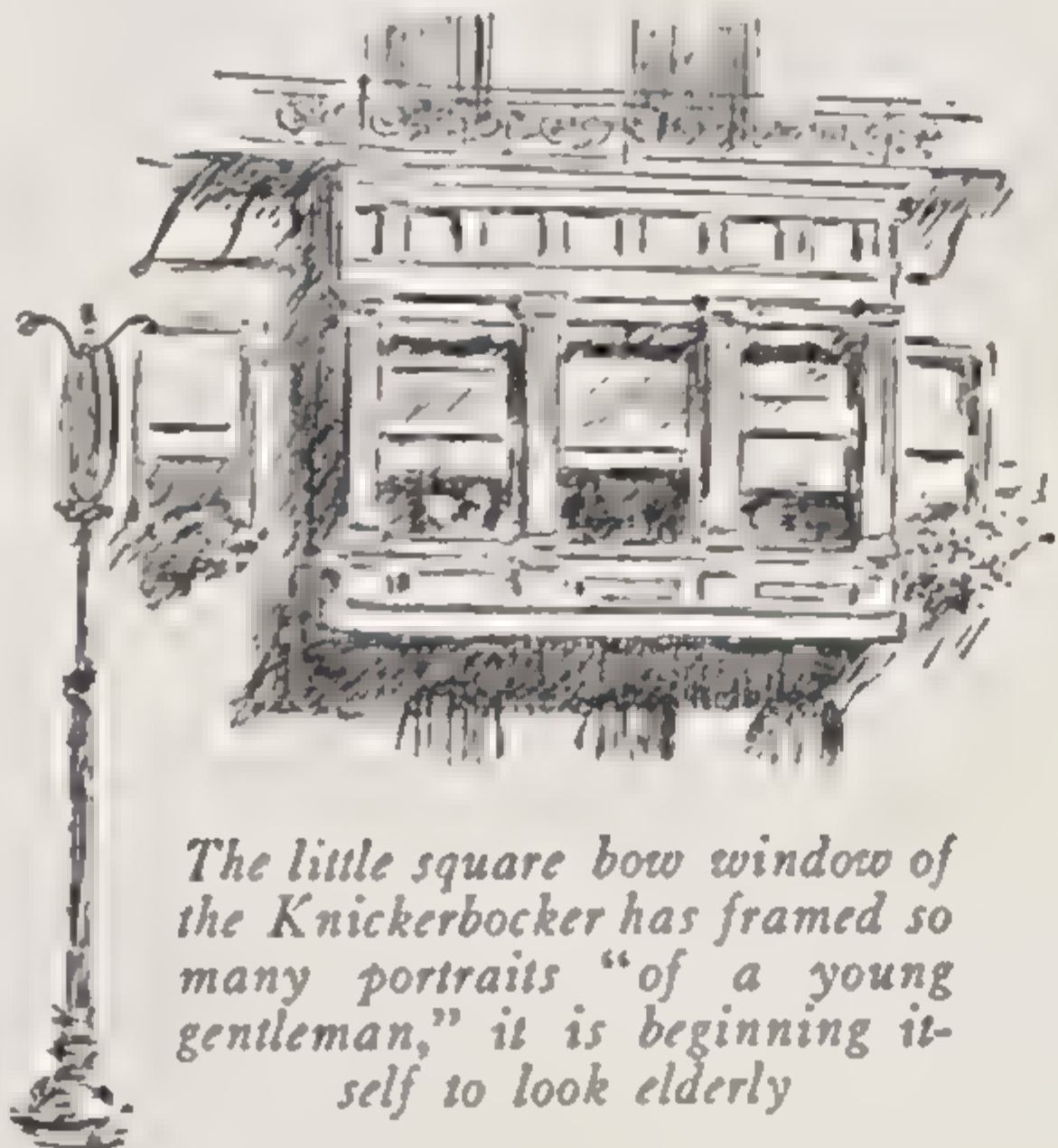
Nevertheless, a veteran clubman may be permitted a start when he is reminded that he must begin a club paper "ladies and gentlemen," and he begs the kind indulgence of his "fellow members" for any too masculine phrases which may coarsen the pages in which he proposes to discuss frankly the men's clubs, which he knows, and to refer to the women's clubs as any gentleman would to any woman's house at which he has the honor to be a guest.

## THE DEAN OF CLUBS

The Union Club is the dean of New York clubs, and the most prominent men in the social history of New York may be observed seated in the windows of the great marble mansion it occupies at Fifth Avenue and Fifty-first Street. They wear their hats, too, just as their fathers and grandfathers wore theirs in the old brown-stone house at the corner of Twenty-first Street, opposite the Dutch Reformed Church, which the Union Club occupied so long. It was there that one member once pitched another member



*The key of this club, called the Brook, because things go on forever there, even into the wee, sma' hours, was ceremoniously thrown away at the housewarming*



*The little square bow window of the Knickerbocker has framed so many portraits "of a young gentleman," it is beginning itself to look elderly*

been famous for two generations. Admission is so coveted and the waiting list is so long that members propose their sons while they are schoolboys.

The institution is governed by a self-perpetuating board of governors and every member is supposed to have a recognized social status, although the club is too big and too venerable to be a strictly society club, and many an old fellow plays his rubber there of an evening who hasn't been to a party in thirty years.

The Knickerbocker and the Brook are our essentially fashionable clubs. They are much smaller in membership and more exclusive as to admission than any of the other clubs, and the men who frequent them spend their leisure in society. The little square bow window of the Knickerbocker, at Thirty-second Street and Fifth Avenue, has framed in its day so many portraits "of a young gentleman," that it is beginning itself to look elderly, and the young dandies seated in it are the sons of the young dandies admired there some thirty odd years ago by our mothers and our aunts.

## WHERE THINGS GO ON FOREVER

The Brook Club is more a family affair than the Knickerbocker. It lives in a small painted house in East Fortieth Street, and is arranged to simulate a bachelor's private ménage. Members do not prattle club stories, or tell at what unearthly hour one may sup or get a drink, but it is certainly a fact that the key was ceremoniously thrown away at the housewarming and that the club was named the Brook because things "go on forever" there. It was really opened as an all-night club and is supposed never to be closed.

The Calumet still clings to its vine-covered old brick house at the corner of Twenty-ninth Street, and its handsome dining-room, overlooking the pretty lawn of the Little Church Around the Corner, is a delightful place to breakfast or to lunch of a bright spring morning.

The Calumet was originally a sort of junior Union Club and was dedicated to the younger men in society. As the members grew older, however, they gradually joined the Union, the Knickerbocker, and the Union League clubs, and while the Calumet was rehabilitated, and is now one of the most prosperous and best dining clubs in town, it no longer has quite the same claim to social prestige it once had.

The New York is one of the oldest of the strictly social clubs, and like so many others it has moved out of Fifth Avenue and into West Fortieth Street. For many years it has had its own coterie of members, largely made up of men in Wall Street. Some time ago it offered its privileges to members of the Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club, and a guest is very apt to be asked, "Haven't I met you somewhere on the water?"

into a snow-bank. Swept away as clean as the snow-bank are the old church and the old club-house, too, and so also are the kindly, grizzled faces that used so gallantly to gaze at the pretty bonneted heads that passed demurely by.

With such a history, and such traditions, no wonder the Union Club is conservative, and a little elderly and authoritative. It is our largest and oldest fashionable club, it has the finest collection of French books, and the best wine-cellar in America, and its cuisine has



*The Calumet has moved from its vine-covered old brick home with windows overlooking the pretty lawn of the Little Church Around the Corner to its recently acquired home in West Fifty-sixth Street*

The great Metropolitan, which occupies a vast and costly palace facing Central Park, was organized by the late Pierpont Morgan and some of his intimate friends, and is still regarded by old-timers as new to clubdom. Its nickname, "The Millionaires," expresses its claim to distinction, and though some of the members have not quite a hundred thousand a year, the list of members is an impressive study in values. It is the only club which has a ladies' annex, and any gentleman with a proper regard for his social obligations should appreciate election for the mere privilege of entertaining his women friends there.

The St. Nicholas, in its little weather-vaned, gabled Dutch house in West Forty-fourth Street, is as jolly and unique as the little rollicking saint it is named after. To be elected to membership in the St. Nicholas, one has to be of registered Holland strain, and, most essentially, has to be a gentleman. These things vouched for, one may sit and drink whiskey and talk about ancestors to the most sympathetic audience to be encountered anywhere. In that club, they count distant cousins as Scotch Highlanders do.

## TO BE A REPUBLICAN AND A SUCCESS

Among clubs dedicated to politics, the Union League is preeminent. Organized to support the government during the Civil War, its great red brick abode, a block across from the public library, always with a benign row of old gentlemen seated in its windows, is an impressive example of what it means to be a republican and a success. The membership includes men successful in all walks of life, but high finance and politics are more discussed than polo. It is not in any sense a society club, though many men socially prominent are members, and, it may be added, it is regarded as one of the best managed and most dignified establishments in New York.

The Manhattan, which oddly enough occupies the old Union League house in East Madison Square, is the ancient home of gentlemen of

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*In the salons and corridors, François Premier left mementoes of his stay at Chenonceaux; Henry II added his monogram entwined with that of the fascinating Diane de Poitiers to the decorations; and in architectural additions may be traced the régime of each succeeding monarch*

## A R E D C R O S S C H Â T E A U

IT is the Americans who have given the pseudonym of "The Château Country" to the charmed land of romance that lies in the heart of France, and lies close to the hearts of Americans as well, for it is one of their most favored touring-grounds, as familiar as their own Berkshires. Usually at this season, countless streams of automobiles are threading the highways and byways of the valley, paying their annual calls at the fifty or more magnificent châteaux which, interspersed with little villages of gray stone houses capped with slate roofs, lie within an area of about one hundred miles along the Loire.

Now, however, there are only the automobiles of the army to be seen, rushing at top speed and filled with stern-faced officers. The hotels and the little country inns where travelers are wont to find some of the warmest welcomes in France resound now to preparations for battle. The army of defense has routed the army of tourists, and the châteaux themselves are responding to the call to battle, a call familiar, in years gone by, to their grim, scarred walls.

### A SCROLL OF FRENCH HISTORY

Among the most charming of the châteaux is the Château de Chenonceaux. It has many distinctive charms peculiarly its own,—chief among them that it is built bridge-wise across the tiny river Cher. No visitor to France but doubtless has passed through its lion-guarded gateway and crossed its drawbridge, ever hospitably down. To-day, however, the Château de Chenonceaux, which has been a picturesque factor in the making of four hundred years of French history and has, in its time, seen many illustrious personages pass, guarded, over its moat, now sees another cycle of history turn behind its massive towers and under its pinnaced roof.

For the first time in all its varied experience it has become a station of the Red Cross Society of the French army. It was pre-

Built by a Commoner, and for Many Brilliant Reigns the Home of French Royalty, Chenonceaux of the Château Country Now, in Its Old Age, Becomes a Red Cross Hospital



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*The chiefest charm, of which there are so many, is that the château is built bridge-wise across the tiny river Cher*

sented to the government for this purpose through the generosity of its present owner, M. Menier, the well-known chocolate manufacturer and philanthropist. M. Menier not only tendered the use of the château for the care of the wounded but contributed a large sum of money for its maintenance and the employment of a large corps of physicians and nurses.

Chenonceaux has sheltered the domestic life of the royal families of many brilliant reigns and because, unlike most of the great places of the château country, it has been used only as a place of residence, it has, to a large extent, escaped the ravages of former wars. It was built early in 1500 by a commoner and is now the property of a commoner, but between then and now it has been the home of personages conspicuous in French history. Soon after it was built, it became the property of the crown, and each French monarch who lived in it added some gem of architectural workmanship; by the devices incorporated in its decorations may the various stages of French history be traced.

### FRANÇOIS PREMIER GOES A-FISHING

François Premier, who gave the first impetus to the building of the numerous châteaux in old Touraine, constructed the colossal near-neighbor of Chenonceaux, the château of Chambord, as a palatial hunting lodge, and varied his great hunts after wild boar and stag in the forest by frequently establishing his court at Chenonceaux that he might pursue the more gentle art of angling in the tranquil waters of the Cher. He added several of the towers to what was then but a modest dwelling, and his device, that of the crowned "Salamander," and that of his queen, Claude, the "Swan," and the crowned "C" are mementoes of his stay to be seen on some of the monumental chimney-pieces in the salons of Chenonceaux; elaborately ornamented over-mantels are a feature of all the Loire châteaux.

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## A DRAWING-ROOM HONORS a TRANSPLANTED ART

Long Before the Pressure of War Compelled It, Decorators and Their Patrons Brought to America the Ancient Art of the Tapestry Weavers

THE word tapestry is to-day applied to so great a variety of fabrics that its real meaning is somewhat obscured. The term, in proper usage, is applicable only to the richly patterned fabrics, woven of wool or of wool mixed with silk or threads of metal upon a hand loom in such manner that the comparatively coarse warp threads are completely covered on both sides by the fine threads of the weft, which are carried under and over alternate threads of the warp, back and forth for the distance that any particular color extends in the design. As a rule, when any color in a tapestry ends parallel with the warp threads, that section of the tapestry must be sewed to the next section, as no weft threads run across from one color to another. These wonderful pictured hangings were first made for the princes, popes, and potentates of past

centuries, and their wonderful texture and rich colors make them the treasures of men of taste and wealth to-day.

### MARVELS OF WEAVING

As a rule, the design of a tapestry constitutes a picture. Scenes from mythology are portrayed or the achievements of conquerors of the middle ages; Bible scenes and details of life at royal courts furnish countless examples; in fact, the tapestry weavers may utilize any subject which is susceptible of a rich and highly decorative treatment. To the most beautiful colorings, they frequently add gold and silver threads which are woven into the fabric. In the Renaissance period, the richness of the picture thus made was increased by the use of a border which was frequently almost as sumptuous as the tapestry panel itself, and

*Against ivory woodwork hang rose and green tapestries which are early products of American weaving*

*The gilded furniture is upholstered in damasks, velvets, and tapestries of the period of the French Louis*





sometimes, as in the case of the Don Quixote panels of the Morgan collection, entirely overshadowed the importance of the central picture. It should not be assumed, however, that the pictorial standard is the correct one for judging the value of a tapestry. A part of the interest, it is true, lies in the scene presented, but the true quality by which tapestries hold such high place is their remarkable beauty of texture, which is achieved by the unique method of weaving. For this reason, the best way of displaying tapestries is to allow them to hang free to show the variations of surface.

#### RAPHAEL AS DESIGNER

Looms in France, Italy, and Flanders during the fourteenth, fifteenth, and early sixteenth centuries worked unceasingly, producing the tapestries which were the treasures of kings. The designs for these tapestries were often drawn by the greatest artists, and Raphael himself drew the cartoons for many of the tapestries made in Brussels, among them those made for Pope Leo X. These antique tapestries, even more beautiful now than when they were made, are at present so rare that their value has increased enormously, and the prices at which they are sold mount to many thousands. Many beautiful examples have been gathered into museums or garnered into great private collections, and old tapestries are becoming increasingly difficult to obtain.

One of the most successful revivals of tapestry weaving is that which is being

carried on by William Baumgarten and Company, at their looms in Williams-bridge. The work was begun in a very small way in 1893, at which time a little group of experienced tapestry weavers were induced to leave their homes in France and to settle in a distant spot in the Bronx, then far remote from New York. Here, in an old, disused country house, looms were set up and the earliest of American-made tapestries were executed. Besides weaving tapestries, these French craftsmen trained novices, who have since become proficient weavers and are themselves teachers of a newer generation of tapestry makers.

The New York residence of Mr. Jacob H. Schiff is interesting in this connection, as it is among the first residences decorated with tapestry "made in America." The drawing-room, which occupies the entire front of the residence, is decorated in the manner of the Louis XV period, and hung with great panels of tapestry in designs in soft rose and green, somewhat after the manner of Boucher, representing pastoral scenes in which French sovereigns and their courts masquerade as shepherds and shepherdesses. In keeping with the sumptuous surroundings, the furniture, which is also of the Louis XV period, is rich and elaborate; the gilded chairs and settees are covered with the beautiful damasks and tapestries of the period. This beautiful drawing-room, like the old rooms in France, is lighted by bronze girandoles which are attached to the walls, and by two old chandeliers of crystal and ormolu.

*The designs of the tapestries, inspired by Boucher, portray French sovereigns and their "rustic" courts*

*Hangings of velvet embroidered in gold and draped in French fashion emphasize the Louis XV character*





# INTERPRETIVE DANCING SEEKS SHELTER IN AMERICA

THERE arrived in New York in September a little group of charming children,—seventeen girls and one boy,—who, while they are far from being the most unfortunate of the war sufferers, have none the less been deprived of a delightful and very beautiful home, for the advantage of the wounded of the great war who will occupy that home as a hospital.

These children are the pupils of Isadora Duncan at her school of classical dancing at Meudon, near Paris, and they will continue their education here until such time as conditions permit their return to Europe. They came to America under the charge of Augustin Duncan, brother of Isadora Duncan, and his wife, and will later be joined by Isadora Duncan herself, who was prevented by illness from accompanying them. On her arrival, she will continue their instruction in her methods of classical dancing and will dance in public with them this winter.

## FOR THE LOVE OF BEAUTY

Miss Duncan's love for her art is disinterested and sincere. Her aim in taking these pupils is to train dancers who will accompany her in her own work, but she has also the hope that she may find a pupil whose talent will be great enough to carry on and develop her methods. She searches tirelessly for talented youth, and, having found it, she adopts it as her own, shouldering all responsibility both financial and educational. With infinite patience and care, she molds the body and the mind into the supple grace of the dance and the true love of beauty. Her pupils come to her in early childhood and she takes entire charge of them, giving them care and education, as well as instruction in her methods of dancing. It is understood that none of them shall leave her for public appearance under other patronage than hers.

Although Miss Duncan has long been interested in training children in the classic dances, and some of her pupils have been with her for ten years or more, the establishment of the school at Meudon took place only last spring. After the loss of her two children in a motor accident in France, Miss Duncan went to the Balkans to nurse the wounded, and afterward traveled in Germany. On her return to Paris, she purchased the old castle at Meudon which modern enterprise had converted into a fashionable hotel, under the name of the "Pavillon de Bellevue," and she transformed it into a magic setting in which to train children from their very infancy in the spirit and practise of Greek dancing.

## A MAGIC SETTING

The interior of the castle vies in beauty with the landscape visible from the terraces. Set high on the terraced slope of a hill above the Seine, the house commands an inspiring view of the famous Val Fleury, with Paris beyond. Within the entrance hall, stately Ionic columns bring their suggestion of ancient Greece, and long straight folds of dull blue velvet that hang undraped from cornice to floor, veiling every wall space, make a background for rare bits of marble and terracotta. The principal dancing hall runs the length of the great stone house. Three quarters of it is devoted to a dancing floor, over which is spread a thin blue material which makes a proper surface for the barefooted dancers. The walls are hung with dull blue silk, and the twilight effect is very beautiful. At one end of the hall is a series of stages at different levels from which Miss Duncan and her guests watch the dancers. Low divans covered with oriental rugs and cushions are placed here and there on the stages, and a grand piano, almost hidden beneath flowers and plants, furnishes music for the lithe-limbed pupils. What is known as the semi-indirect method of lighting

has been adopted for the hall. Mammot h conch shells of iridescent pink glass swing by silver gilt chains from the high ceiling; the electric globes within are cunningly concealed, and a rosy light sifts through, shedding a mellow tone into the room.

The chief underlying principle of Isadora Duncan's teaching is the relaxation of the muscles. Her pupils begin with a series of exercises which tend to render the body supple and undulating without giving excessive muscular development. While these exercises are going on, Miss Duncan reclines on a throne-like chair or a divan upon one of the elevated platforms and instructs the older girls in regard to the movements which are to be practised. It is her ambition to discover a talented child whose genius will permit a complete realization of the ideal of a body which shall express the soul in dancing. Toe-dancing is the exact antithesis of the teaching of this school. Miss Duncan's efforts are concentrated on developing the talent of her dancers into the ability to express the idea or emotion embodied in music.

For these children a series of dances has been created, which illustrate and symbolize the musical compositions which Florent Schmidt has dedicated to seven cities in Germany. "Coblenz" takes its poses and theme from the famous statue of Victory that adorns the market-place of Coblenz; "Lübeck" is danced by a trio which moves dreamily in a slumbering vision of this somnolent town; "Dresden" is pictured in the china-like figures of four rosy sprites; and "Nuremberg" is suggested by a complicated measure in which the picturesque old city breathes its musty fragrance in the melody and in the quaint movement of its interpreters.

The grace of Miss Duncan's pupils is remarkable, and their constant association with this great artist has developed a love for beauty and a natural charm

## From the Recently Established School of Isadora Duncan, near Paris, Come Eighteen Small Exponents of Classic Grace and Rhythm



Jean, the only boy in the group, pauses in a pose of the dance before the blue silk hangings

that might captivate the most recalcitrant fancy. Her interest in the comfort and her solicitude for the well-being of the little tots about her is charming to witness, and their admiration and love for her shows itself in every glance and word. Several maids are in attendance at the dancing hours, and as each set of exercises is terminated, sandals are donned and loose eider-down robes are slipped on each dancer to avoid possible danger from draughts. The health of the children is well safeguarded, and Miss Duncan's eye is quick to detect the faintest sign of ailing.

Works of art are constantly before these growing children, and a suite of rooms in the second floor of the house is dedicated to works of modern masters, among whom are Rodin and Carrière. Class rooms on the third floor are fitted for study and instruction, and Greek, French, German, music, and the classics are taught by resident teachers.

There are seven young girls of about eighteen years of age who have been with Miss Duncan for some ten years, and who are already proficient dancers. These girls aid in instructing the younger pupils, whose ages vary from six to twelve.

## WITH ALL THE WORLD TO WONDER

Although her school was open for but a short time, the great dance hall received many illustrious guests. Each Saturday morning the school was open for inspection and many distinguished visitors came informally to see these lovely children dance. Artists, society women, actresses, musicians, composers, dancers, and litterateurs met and exchanged greetings in the hospitable home of Isadora Duncan, for few celebrities are more loved. All Paris grieved with her when accident robbed her of her children, and to see her to-day, regal in her classic draperies but with tragedy in her face,

is to understand the circle of little faces that she has drawn about her.

Mlle. Cécile Sorel and Mlle. Leconte of the Comédie Française have both been much interested in the school of Miss Duncan, and have motored out more than once to enjoy a quiet hour in that peaceful room. M. Hermant, the well-known author, has also shown a marked interest in the pupils of Miss Duncan. The Countess de La Rochefoucauld was enthusiastic in her praises of the dancers, and an illustrious composer of ballet music has vowed excitedly that not a Saturday should pass without finding him present at the morning class.

It is, indeed, a delight keen and real to watch these slender nymphs dance through the incense laden twilight, while gentle touch and infinite care guide their slender, swaying feet. It is certain that Americans who have long enjoyed Miss Duncan's art will await with double interest her appearance accompanied by these dancers of her own training.

## EXPRESSING THE UNIVERSAL RHYTHM

The idea of founding a school, as has been said, had been long in Miss Duncan's mind, and its inception was in her theory that the dance is an expression of the rhythmic movement of the universe. Light, sound, and energy travel in waves, and the movements of the human body, she believes, are the unconscious expression of the same universal rhythm.

The tendency of civilization for many centuries has been to loosen the bonds between man and nature until the human being no longer comprehends the great natural forces, and the human body, constrained by convention and hampering attire, is no longer a medium of expression for them. It is the rediscovery of these great elemental rhythms and of the rhythmic human movements which express them visually that is Miss Duncan's aim.

Three great sources have served in her study. She has gone to the woods, the fields, and the sea, and has studied the rhythm of nature in the flying clouds, the swaying tree tops, the waves, and the free-moving wild things. For the great rhythms of nature as expressed in music, she has studied the great composers, such as Bach, Beethoven, Wagner, and Gluck, whose works unite the universal with the human rhythm. For the expression of this rhythm in art she has gone to the Greek vases, where beauty of form unites with beauty of movement, and rhythmic line is the basis of the form.

## THE BODY AND SOUL OF THE DANCER

Ideal beauty of movement presupposes ideal beauty of form,—perfect development and perfect control,—as well as a mind sensitive to beauty and quick to feel the rhythm of nature. It is this theory which shapes the life in Miss Duncan's school. She takes the children, by preference, in early infancy, and she watches unceasingly over their physical development, down to the smallest detail, for the dancer with ill-formed toes is little better equipped than the pianist with ill-formed fingers.

For all pupils, the beginning is in simple gymnastic exercises to give suppleness, strength, and muscular control. When this has been accomplished the training for the dance begins. From the simple rhythmic walk to the most complicated steps of the dance, the pupils learn the scale of movement, as music students learn the chromatic scale.

A natural sequence of her theory of the dance as a form of the rhythm which pervades the universe, is Isadora Duncan's ideal for the future of the dance. This, in brief, is that the dance shall take again the position in the drama which was held by the Greek chorus, that it shall again become the visible expression of the human struggle expressed in the drama as we interpret it to-day.





The "Sand Game" gathers the older pupils in statuesque grace, which is enhanced by the flowing lines of their garments. Muscular control and relaxation, never muscular development, are the aims of Miss Isadora Duncan's teaching



All responsibility, financial and educational for this large and varied family is assumed by Miss Duncan, who, having succeeded in her search for talented children, bends all her efforts to training them in love of beauty and in the supple grace of the dance



In the rest which follows each dance or set of exercises, sandals are donned, eider-down wraps ward off possible draughts and chills, and conversation succeeds the intentness of practise

A number of girls of about eighteen, who have studied for ten years with Isadora Duncan, aid in the teaching of the children, many of whom come to her so young that learning to dance is but a graduate course of the no less difficult art of learning to walk



Photographs from Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.

A building of picturesque career, which began life as a chateau and became a fashionable restaurant. Thereafter it was altered to afford a beautiful home for Miss Duncan's school of dancing, and it is to-day a hospital for soldiers



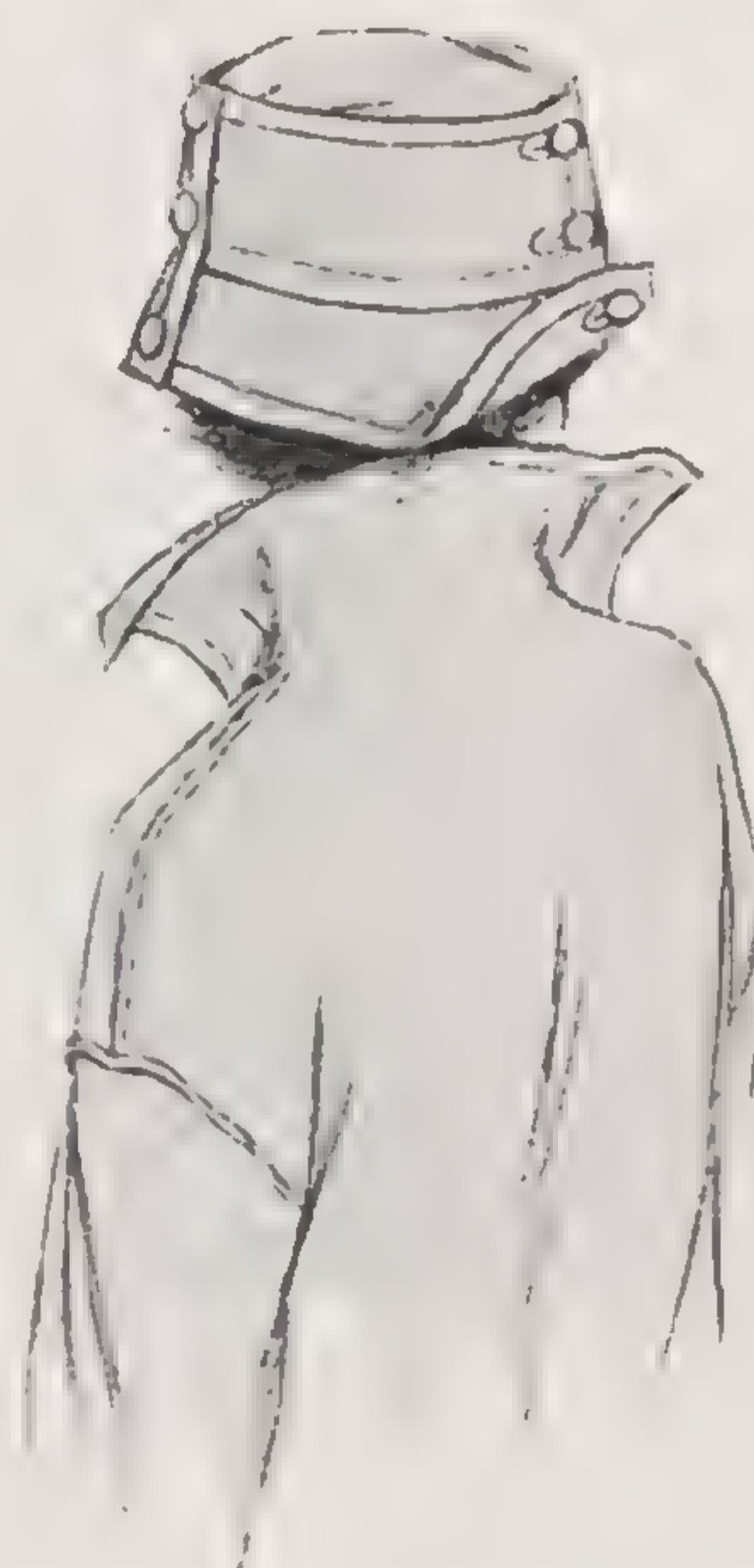




*A high yoke sloping low in the back and cut to include full kimono sleeves is sharply divided from the flaring skirt of this short moleskin coat by a narrow piping of tailless ermine. White ermine collar and cuffs contribute softly becoming lines, and the workmanship in combining the moleskins so they not only run in stripes but throw a pattern of semicircles into relief, is exquisite*



*Having exhausted the possibilities of plumage, for the moment, at least, Alphonsine appoints it a successor in amazingly long, slim, make-believe wings of peacock blue paillettes, ever so small and lapped over each other as delicately as feathers. King's blue velvet is the material of the hat*



*Girlishness could scarce be framed more prettily than by this big Lanvin hat, round of crown and wide and round of brim, with streamers of mauve velvet strewn with tiny rosebuds and gratifyingly long. The hat is of quilted blue taffeta faintly shot with pink, and is encircled by a strand of dark sable*

*Take two halves of a suede cloth Chanel hat and button them together, add some bandings of self material and a piquant touch of bound buttonholes; serve with a tennis racket, a sports blouse, and a short skirt*

A PRETENDER TO THE THRONE OF FEATHERS, AND A  
HAT TO SERVE WITH A TENNIS RACKET—A MOLESKIN  
COAT ENTERS THE WINTER SCENE WITH A FLARE





*So demure an air wears this little breakfast jacket of pale rose colored Georgette crêpe that only the veiled impertinence of its action in attaching a pocket to the very seam of a raglan sleeve prepares one for its bold introduction of a true ruff, which is filmy, it is true, but is none the less a ruff*

*Since, ruffle and gather them as fashion will for the moment, warmth is not in filmy lace or embroidered mousseline, the resourceful designer creates the illusion of its presence by trimmings of fur at collar, wrists, and hem. The lace overwaist is held by bands suggesting those which held the draperies of Greek maidens*

*Doubtless it is by some occult law of balance that, as gowns grow more casual and insouciant, negligées become more formal. Delicate cream lace forms the ruffled skirt and wide girdle, cream colored tulle is used for the bodice, and a cape of blue Chantilly lace adds to the supposition that this is as much an evening gown as a negligée*



BAFFLED IN FRONT, THE COLLAR RETIRES TO THE BACK OF THE NECK AND FROM THAT

HIGH POSITION OF VANTAGE HAZARDS THE SUGGESTION OF AN ELIZABETHAN RUFF





ONE SUIT CONFIRMS THE ELECTION OF THE HIGH COLLAR  
IN PERSON, BUT TWO OTHERS LEND IT ONLY HALF-HEARTED  
SUPPORT, AND THAT BY PROXY OF THEIR BLOUSES

*A trim recruit to the cult of the high collar is a suit of tan covert-cloth with a skirt which flares neither to the right nor to the left. Ever so many self-covered buttons fasten the coat; and the black braid belt is held under an oval buckle. The smart little black velvet tricorn is trimmed by a cockade and flutings of black grosgrain ribbon. Suits from Hickson & Co.*

*Squared on every edge is the coat of blue serge which faces the winds of winter without even the precaution of buttons up the front. Indeed, there is no front; the black-braided edges of the coat open over a waist of white faille silk piped with terra-cotta silk and trimmed with an ornament and tassels of green silk. The dark blue velvet sailor has a silver rose*

*Not an inch too much or an inch too little of fulness here or there spells the trimness of the "Polo Model" of tan covert-cloth. At the front, the scrupulously tailored coat is allowed two cherries as a boutonniere in the back, a half-belt restrains considerable fulness. The skirt ends under a tan leather belt. A corbeau blue velvet sailor-hat completes the costume*





FOUR WITNESSES TESTIFY IN FAVOR OF THE SMALL HAT,  
BUT THE BIG HAT APPEARS IN PERSON BEFORE THE COURT  
OF FASHION AND THROWS THE EVIDENCE INTO CONFUSION

The extent to which the European war is telling on winter millinery is strikingly marked in this diminutive turban of sphinx metallic braid, shaped for all the world like a helmet, christened "The Kaiser," and surmounted by a most charming little tower of black velvet

To enjoy the prerogatives of a toque, and yet refuse to assume the responsibility of adding the width to the face a toque is reputed to give, a smart blue satin model well suited to an older woman adopts a blue wing and sets it erect on the crown. Models from Simcox, Inc.

A trifle of black velvet tilted ever so far over the right eye and encircled by what appears to be a wreath of red, green, black, and pink flowers but at a second glance resolves itself into tufts of gay feathers worthy the plumage of a bird of paradise or the art of the futurist

Wide past all belief is a purple velvet hat with a crown that begins low in front and rounds off high in back, and a purple feather trimming that begins at the outermost edge under a perilously small bow of purple grosgrain ribbon and tips off into indefinite space

A snug little, round little mortar-board cap, wearied, perhaps, of the restraints of college life and bursting forth unexpectedly in corbeau blue velvet with self-tone blue wings stretched to their uttermost and poised as if to carry the daring affair upon still further flights





Having risen to three stories with unadorned and uncompromising regularity, this small black velvet hat permits itself a crown of pearl beads and places directly in front a bow of pearl beads, with tassels hanging nearly to the brim

"Two-faced" is an accusation which may justly be urged of a black velvet street suit, skunk trimmed, which in front shows a semifitting, belted jacket, but from the back appears to possess a loose circular cape, also fur edged

The model for this one-piece gown was furnished by Russia from her inexhaustible stock of peasant costumes, but Paris designed the sleeves. The costume is of steel gray velvet and the trimmings are of black velvet and black fox



VELVET AND AGAIN VELVET IS THE ORDER OF THE MODE, NOR CAN

ALL THE WARNINGS OF A SHORTAGE OF DYE-STUFFS SUITED TO

VELVET DO AUGHT BUT INCREASE THE POPULARITY OF THAT FABRIC





*The shortcomings of a dress of yesterday will have scant attention under an overdress with a broad loose girdle to give the new "moyen-âge" line*

ALL the world is economizing this season, in one way or another, and the matter of economy requires considerable thought, if the new modes are to be followed. The suit or wrap of last season is hard, if not impossible, to remodel, as fulness can not be added to the tight cloth skirts, the short jackets, or the sheath-like wraps of last winter. But dresses, especially evening dresses, lend themselves to remodeling. Therefore it would be wise for the woman who wishes to consider the mode, and yet to save money, to put her greatest expenditure on a new and smart suit and to adapt some of the following suggestions, which have been tried and found to be good, in altering her afternoon and evening gowns.

#### THE MAGIC OF TULLE AND NET

Tulle and silk net are almost magical in what they can accomplish in remodeling, especially if a bit of fur or bands of paillettes are combined with them. First, let us consider the silhouette of the evening gown of last season and then see how it may be modernized into that of this season. The silhouette of last season was, unquestionably, sheath-like; it showed a scant waist drapery, some fulness at the hips, and narrowed to a point at the feet which barely allowed walking. Today, the drapery is more scant at the top of the silhouette, but instead of tapering toward the feet, it flares. As regards materials, the tops of the frocks of last season were transparent (as are the tops of the new frocks) and the skirts had one, two, or three short tunics of sheer material.



*Though it make haste slowly, the blouse with a high collar avows its intention of reaching the goal of favoritism*

## SMART FASHIONS for LIMITED INCOMES

Bowing to the Inevitable and Buying New Wraps, but Changing the Silhouette of the Evening Dresses of Last Season to the More Bouffant Silhouette of This

*Note.—In order to make the "Smart Fashions for Limited Incomes" department of greater practical value to the woman of restricted means, Vogue will cut to order, in the stock sizes of 34 to 40 inches bust, the patterns of models published under this department at the special price of \$1 for a separate skirt, jacket, or bodice, \$1.50 for a three-quarter-length coat, and \$2 for a suit or gown*

To alter a dress with the line and materials just described, the transparent top, which is probably worn or soiled, will have to be replaced. The new long waistline may sometimes be achieved by attaching a girdle of the material to the old bodice. The tunics of last season must be removed altogether and new ones, different in cut and length, must be placed over the underskirt. Last of all, the underskirt must be given width if possible. In black or white satin, inverted plaits may be inserted at the side sections. Of course, each gown must be given individual thought, but, as a rule, the skirt of last season may form the underskirt over which a long, flaring, tulle or chiffon skirt may be placed; even some of the new, straight, one-piece effects may be gained in this way. Where a last season's skirt has been draped, it can be let out and refreshed by cleaning or pressing.

Naturally such extensive remodeling involves expense, and it should be carefully reckoned before the attempt is made. To put the matter in a logical way, a last season's dress may be used as a foundation on which to build a new one, with the idea of minimizing the expense of a gown. This being the case, it is unwise to think, "Oh, I'll make over that dress for a mere nothing and buy one or

two new ones." Usually this means that no thought or money is spent in the remaking, and that, consequently, the gown is a failure and is seldom worn.

#### ADDING A LITTLE BIT TO WHAT YOU HAVE

A method of remodeling an afternoon or evening dress is suggested in the Martial et Armand model sketched at the upper left. This model would be equally suitable for either cloth or satin, and instead of tulle could have the overdress of Chantilly lace or of one of the lovely silver metallic laces which are so popular now. A somewhat worn kimono waist of last year may be used in this model, as its shortcomings will be hidden by the lace which covers the front of the waist and forms the sleeves and the loose cape in the back. This lace section may all be cut in one piece as the lace may be split at the underarm front and back to form the sleeves. To save expense, the broad girdle may be of the same material as the underskirt, and instead of the forty-inch net-top lace, which was used in the original of the design, silver lace or a plain mesh lace may be used with a banding of lace applied. If the banding is applied by hand and the meshes of the net and the lace are matched, the band can



*Given a long, tight, velvet gown; subtract a little velvet in some places and add a little tulle in others, and lo! the new silhouette of the season*

scarcely be detected as a separate piece of lace. If even the expense of a band of lace is not desired a net overskirt trimmed by fur will be found to be charming. A narrow banding of skunk would be prettiest for the fur trimming. Inch-wide bandings of skunk may be bought for \$3.75 a yard.

As for color, silver lace may be used with any light evening shade, and with dark blue or black velvet. If a brown dress is to be altered, ecru lace or net, embroidered in gold in case that kind of lace can be afforded, would be desirable.

The gown sketched at the upper right could be of either black satin or black velvet and tulle, or a combination of all three materials. The general lines of this frock may be attributed to Jenny, as, at her opening, she showed a number of dresses suggesting this idea. The top and sleeves may be of black tulle, the loose-fitting bodice and sash of velvet or satin, and the double skirt of black tulle over a satin or velvet skirt, according to the material of the waist. The fastening is at the side back, where the back crosses in surplice fashion. The width at the edge of the lower tunic should be about three yards, and the width of the upper tunic should be a little less. There is nothing difficult about the making of this frock; it could be made by a good seamstress.

#### ACHIEVING SLEEVELESSNESS

A charming type of dress is the one with the flounced skirt and the sleeveless waist sketched at the upper left on page 64. There were some skirts of this type last season and in case one has a similar skirt





The tiered skirt of last winter is a worthy companion for the sleeveless bodice of this, and for the rest of the gown, fur begins and ends it

it could be utilized with a semifitted, sleeveless waist like the one shown in the sketch. Nattier blue velvet trimmed at the armholes with skunk would be admirable for the bodice. By cutting the armholes smaller than is customary, and quite tight, the arm is fairly well protected, and the sleevelessness is possible. The back of the bodice shown is like the front, except that instead of buttoning in the middle as the front does, one side of it is crossed far over the other side and buttoned.

Unfortunately, the draped wrap of last season can not be altered, but though evidently not of this season, if still in good condition it may be worn. The new coats have a decided flare and are frequently belted, but as they are far more difficult to make than capes, the latter is suggested in case a wrap is to be made. A cape of a simple yet distinctive order may be of velvet lined with satin, and may be so made that it can be reversed and worn with the satin side out. A model adapted to this purpose is sketched at the upper right. Only a tiny bit of fur is used and that should be chosen according to the color of the material of the wrap. Silver fox, squirrel, or fitch are lovely with blue, while the

brown furs blend better with rose or yellow shades of velvet or satin. The blue tones, *tête de nègre*, and the shades bordering on pink and salmon are all used this season.

Separate coats are going to be worn a great deal this season, and two of different types, shown by a smart tailor, are sketched on this page. The one at the right is very simple, but is so well cut that it instantly attracts attention. It is of green duvetyn with a wide half-belt of duvetyn across the front. The high collar is lined with raccoon and bands of raccoon edge the wide cuffs; the buttons are of bone. This coat may be bought for \$60, and is of excellent value, considering the materials and cut, and the fact that it may take the place of a suit and may also be worn over afternoon gowns.

#### BOWING TO THE INEVITABLE

The other coat is more dashing in character and would be excellent for motor-ing, driving, or such uses, especially in the country. This model may be had in brown and white cloth, with the collar and cuffs of sealskin—a very smart and very unusual trimming for this sort of a coat. The coat is of the best materials, is lined throughout with satin, and may be obtained from a very good tailor for \$125.

A waist of real distinction, and on new lines, is the French model sketched at the top of page 63. It has a shoulder yoke and vest of white satin, and fronts,



If a wrap is made at home, such a simple model as this holds no terrors for the seamstress; with a good pattern, its chic is assured



Smart in both line and materials; in fact a justification is this of the new mode in wraps which has played ducks and drakes with the old

The only way to reconcile last season's coat with fashion is to forget it and wear it as it is, or buy a new one that is belted and flaring

back, and sleeves of net lace over mousseline. It is interesting to see a high collar once again, and to note that the girdle, which is of black satin, is attached to the waist. Over the standing collar is a frill of plaited chiffon. Should the frill be unbecoming, it could be omitted; in fact, it would probably improve the waist to dispense with it. The open neck is so pretty that one dislikes to make the change to a high collar, but for winter wear, at least, the high collar is distinctly smart, and there is now little doubt but that it will find favor, even if slowly.

In fact, the presence of a high collar is one of the sure marks of the new mode, and high collars are being used not only on blouses but quite as much on coats and wraps. On coats, the high collar is often of fur and may or may not be double-faced with the fur. If the fur is used only on the outside of the collar, it may be faced with an inconspicuous lining and buttoned close to the throat.

When made of the material itself, the high standing collar has a snug, tailored appearance; but if it is not desired to fasten it tight around the throat, it may extend only across the back of the neck from shoulder seam to shoulder seam.



# THE INTIMATE ESSENTIALS OF FEMININE ATTIRE

Autumn Offerings of the Shops Go Far to  
Prove That Even though Not of French  
Construction Lingerie May Yet Be Lingerie



Lest short waist and short tunic convey a suggestion of shortness in the wearer, a chiffon negligée adds a sash which beguiles the eye by its length of line; price, \$16.50

**P**OSSIBLY the most interesting features of the new American underwear shown in the shops are its fineness and its simplicity. This does not mean an austere plainness, but discretion in the use of the soft laces and an absence of the huge bows and rosettes which one formerly associated with most American underwear. Much greater attention is now paid to cut and design than ever before, and considerable originality, even, is displayed, as witness the unusual neck-lines and sleeves.

## THE BOUDOIR GOWN

To many women the word negligée suggests the charming type of soft boudoir gown, so becoming to most women, which is shown at the left on this page. The gown illustrated here is of plaited chiffon in delicate colors, such as flesh pink and blue. It is trimmed with the most delicate Malines lace and effectively decorated with soft satin ribbon. The sash arrangement gives the length of line which the tunic might otherwise sacrifice. Finely made, of good quality materials, it is a remarkably effective negligée.

A petticoat and coat of crêpe de Chine has pleasing soft ruffles of chiffon with hand-whipped edges. In flesh pink, with soft white ruffles, it is quite charming. It may be had in various colors as well as in white crêpe de Chine with white ruffles.



A taffeta band confines a bit of lace in the semblance of a cap and allows a becoming frill to frame the face; \$4.95

has a little more body than chiffon and yet is equally soft in texture. Valenciennes lace in an attractive pattern trims it in the simplest fashion, and novel ribbon straps run over the shoulders, underneath the crêpe. These hold the bodice of the gown in place, and give it the quaint, Kate Greenaway charm. One may also buy various other pieces of underwear to match this gown.

The gown in the middle is a set that is of more than usually good value. The material is chiffon in flesh color with a trimming of a filet lace that is an excellent imitation of the real filet. It is finely made of very good quality of material, and the other garments are equally effective.

*Note.*—Addresses of the shops will be furnished on request, or The Shopping Department of Vogue will buy for you without extra charge. Address Vogue Shopping Service, 443 Fourth Ave., N. Y.

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Very soft pink taffeta, filmy lace, and rosebuds compose the charming boudoir cap illustrated at the top of this page. The flaring lace frill is unusually becoming.

## FOR THE NIGHT

The nightgowns shown on this page are quite simple, yet they are new and distinctly charming. The one at the right of the page is of Georgette crêpe, a material which has been found particularly suitable for underwear as it



Ruffled coat over ruffled petticoat and a single rose compose a charming negligée which may be all white, all in color, or in color with ruffles of white; price, \$22.50



Of suède tricot with elastic top, this corset embodies the new flat front, higher bust, and incurving waist; price, \$4.50



When combined with careful workmanship and fine material, extreme simplicity becomes a mark of distinction; \$1.50



A flesh colored chiffon gown limits its decoration to a modest amount of filet lace and simple ribbon knots; \$6.75



A dainty underbodice to match the chiffon nightgown at the left is \$1.95, and drawers to complete the set are \$3.95



A quaint nightgown of crêpe and lace is supported by ribbon straps over the shoulders to hold the bodice in place; \$16.50



Engraved with festoons of flowers is a sterling silver mayonnaise dish with an ebony handle. It is suitable for all sauces; 4 x 6 in.; \$30

An exact reproduction of an old fruit basket in the Parker Wakelin collection is the one of sterling silver illustrated at the top; 6 x 14 in.; \$240

Of pierced sterling silver is the lemon and sugar dish with a glass compartment in the middle to prevent corroding; diameter, 6 in.; \$10.50

In the center, above, is a sherbet cup of engraved crystal in a sterling silver stand with slender, graceful handles; price, \$36 a half dozen

A 6½ in. old Georgian pepper pot with an olive-wood spoon and a 2½ in. salt dish are shown at the left; \$5 and \$4, respectively

Of cut glass in a lovely old Georgian pattern is the oil or vinegar cruet shown at the right in the middle of the page; 6½ inches high; \$5

Lemon and cut sugar have each a congenial apartment in a dish of engraved glass and sterling silver; \$7.50

Strawberries and strawberry blossoms are the decorations of an individual strawberry dish of engraved sterling silver and engraved glass, with a dish in the middle for powdered sugar; price, \$7.75

An oddly shaped cheese dish of sterling silver with ends that flare out almost as wide as the dish is wide and with a pretty, flat cheese scoop. The dish is about 5 inches from brim to brim; price, \$10.50

ODD PIECES OF CHINA AND GLASS, EACH POS-  
SESSING THE DISTINCTIVE CHARM ORIGINATED  
BY THE OLD PATTERN FROM WHICH IT WAS COPIED



## S E E N I N T H E S H O P S

AT this season it is always possible to find in the good shops hats, blouses, and costumes which are excellent copies of French models, at prices which are not exorbitant. Models which have been received with marked success have been selected for the reproductions illustrated in this article.

One of the most charming suits of the season, which reflects the tendencies of the mode in a sane manner, and which was first shown in the issue of Vogue for October 15, is illustrated in the middle of this page. It has undeniable grace and charm and it has been copied with excellent results by two New York shops, one of which shows it in black chiffon velvet and raccoon at \$110.

This model is as attractive in cloth as in velvet and it may readily be transformed into an excellent three-piece suit by the addition of a suitable bodice. The simple character of the flaring skirt gives considerable latitude in the selection of blouses which will give the effect of a one-piece frock when the coat is removed.

## FULNESS WHERE IT SHOULD BE

At the lower left corner of this page is shown a piquant Georgette model which has been prettily copied in dark blue serge for the skirt and in a dark serge of wine and stone gray in a small check for the coat-like bodice. The skirt of this frock is as smart and as new as may be.

## American Editions of French Models Retain the Charm of the Original, but Condescend to Prices within the Range of Moderate Means



Sanity is no bar to modishness, asserts a conservative suit of black chiffon velvet which confines its trimming to wide bands of raccoon fur; the price is \$110

It has much fulness at the sides and is perfectly flat front and back. The sides are a trifle longer than the front and back, which gives a chic appearance that is in keeping with the general character of the frock. The coat-like bodice may be worn belted in all around or with the belt, as shown, running beneath it in the back. The belt is of patent leather and a strap of the leather is used on the pockets. The collar is of skunk and under it on the back hangs a second collar of the checked material, which is finished with a tassel.

## THE FROCK UNFLARING

The same shop is showing the straight one-piece frock illustrated at the right on

this page, which has the smart fur belt, collar, and cuffs which are seen on the models from some of the smartest French houses. The frock has been copied in an excellent quality of suede-finished broadcloth and may be ordered in black or in navy blue. The straight plaits are confined on the bodice and are released on the skirt to give fulness. For women to whom the flaring models are unbecoming, a straight frock of this sort may be most flattering. A gown of this type is an excellent model for skating or similar uses, and has a smarter air than a suit. The loose fur belt is one of the most noticeable features of many of the popular French models and appears on coats, suits, and one-piece frocks. The fur used

in this instance is raccoon which has been dyed to imitate skunk.

## A-BAD-WEATHER FRIEND

In good weather and bad in the winter, for tramping, skating, or country wear, a Norfolk suit has a hundred uses, and most women who once own one take care to include one in every season's wardrobe. The model shown at the top of page 68 is an excellent one, and is offered by a shop which makes a specialty of just such clothes and which really understands the essentials of their make-up. In this case the material is an English tweed, which may be had in such combinations as blue and black, green and brown, and black and white. The suit may also be ordered in corduroy in green, brown, or taupe. With it is worn a velours hat, just as small as it could comfortably be and with more style than most hats of this type have. It may be had in almost any shade and it has as its only trimming a gros-grain ribbon band around the crown.

The serge and black satin dress which appears at the lower left corner of page 68 is quite effective and makes an excellent frock to wear under a fur coat. It also is of French origin, and has an interesting design which lifts it above mediocrity.

An excellent suit for general wear is shown at the upper right corner of page 68. *Velours de laine* in the smart dark tones of the season is combined with



A broadcloth frock draws the straightest of straight lines and emphasizes it by one of the new fur belts; price, \$29.50

In a jaunty walking costume Georgette tops a skirt of blue serge with a coat of serge checked in wine color and gray; price, \$29.50





black velvet, and the suit has interesting details of design, particularly in the skirt, which shows the apron front that Paris has adopted as a new feature this season. The neck may be worn closed as illustrated or opened to form small revers and a collar.

The charming little dancing frock in the middle of the page is very simple and has a plaited satin underskirt and a white tulle overskirt which is banded with satin at the bottom. The sleeveless bodice is favored in many of the French evening models and the negligible tulle sleeves of

fort and which is yet distinctly different and not to be mistaken for the Balma-  
caan. In the first place it achieves arm freedom by a seam running from shoulder to wrist along the outer edge of the arm. It has an excellent storm collar as well as cuffs, and there is a small yoke in the back. The length to just below the knee is quite practical, and the ample fulness allows it to be easily slipped on and off. It may be had in a variety of tweed mix-  
tures.

There is never a time when blouses are not of interest, and there is seldom a



The Norfolk suit, which no woman who has learned its manifold usefulness is without, sells at \$35. The smart velours hat is \$8



Pretended concessions to modesty are made by a demure dancing frock of satin and tulle, which graciously consents to add sleeves, provided they be of one layer of tulle; price, \$29.75



For the costume of service, few materials surpass blue serge and black satin. Clever designing lifts this frock above the ordinary; \$22.50



A military note is sounded by this suit of dull "velours de laine" and black velvet. The apron panel gives cachet to the skirt; price, \$35



First successor to the Balma-  
caan coat, which died a bitter death to fashion at five dollars, is this English model of tweed; \$19.50

this frock are merely a plausible concession to modesty. Black velvet straps edged with rhinestones run over the shoulders and give a smart touch. The gown may be had in soft evening shades and makes a charming frock for dancing.

Since the death of the Balma-  
caan coat, which finally appeared at \$5 or some such ridiculous price, there has really been no top-coat shown which has had the good features of the Balma-  
caan without looking too much like it, and consequently being shunned by smart people. But there has now appeared an English model, illustrated at the lower right corner of this page, which gives just as much com-

time when they are not interesting in themselves. Most women have a fondness for buying blouses and most successful makers show a pleasing ingenuity in designing them. The five which appear at the top of page 69 run the gamut from sheer lace and soft satin to practical, washable crêpe de Chine, the never failing resource of the blouse-makers. They also run the gamut of style from designs which lose themselves in the general softness of the materials to those which present the crisp outlines of the tailored waist in satin, crêpe de Chine, and taffeta. They show a pleasing diversity of design in collars, cuffs, belts, and other details.





A smart Russian blouse makes full acknowledgment of the fashion of plaits below the waist; price, \$22.50

Touchees that tell are the hand-embroidered bead roses on the surplice fronts of this chiffon waist; price, \$7.50

The cult of the high collar is represented in a crêpe de Chine blouse, long sleeved and scrupulously tailored; price, \$5

A blouse which meets fashion in a happy medium between the severely tailored and the elaborate model; price, \$5

Of taffeta and crêpe, half and half, this waist affords opportunity for becoming color combinations; price, \$7.50

To combine with a satin, broadcloth, or velvet skirt, nothing could be more charming than the blouse at the left, with its quaint little peplum and wide girdle. Made on Russian lines, it is of soft, dark blue satin and white faille silk, with pleasing embroidery of fine white braid. The blouse has a great deal of style and may be ordered in various attractive color combinations.

An excellent copy from a French blouse is the charming chiffon and taffeta model shown beside the Russian blouse. This has a white crêpe français vest and on the crossing straps which give the smart surplice effect in the front, as well as on the collar, bead roses are prettily hand-embroidered in natural colors. In dark blue as also in flesh colored chiffon, this model is most effective. It is entirely lined with white chiffon.

The blouse in the middle of the line is one of the most successful high-necked blouses shown this season, and is an excellent model for those who wish a trim, tailored effect. It may be had in flesh

colored and in white crêpe de Chine. Next it is one of the always very becoming crêpe de Chine blouses that appeal to discriminating women who demand a fresh, smart severity for morning blouses. It is made in all-white crêpe de Chine and fastens with large pearl buttons.

#### HATS OF THE HOUR

The blouse at the right end of the group is made in a combination of taffeta and Georgette crêpe. Lemon colored crêpe with dark blue taffeta makes a very smart blouse, as does black taffeta with white crêpe, while taffeta of such dark colors as tête de nègre (and a real tête de nègre is not a seal brown or just a dark brown, but almost a black), with the Georgette crêpe matching it, is very smart.

Three hats favored of the moment, copies of French models, are shown on this page. The one in the middle is one of the large, flat, black velvet hats that for certain people are the best possible selection. As its only trimming it has a single, extremely long quill made of black velvet. Almost equally plain, but with a flaring brim, is the very smart model at the lower left corner of the page. This is shown in green velvet with a large velvet bow for trimming. In black or Burgundy red or, indeed, in almost any of the new shades, it would make a most attractive hat to wear with an afternoon frock or suit.

For tailored wear, the rolling sailor with grosgrain bows, shown at the left, owes its style to its outline as well as to the limited ribbon trimming. It may be had in velvet in black and in colors.



Acknowledging their limitations, feathers consent to share honors with velvet quills as trimmings; price, \$11.50

It is not often that one finds a dark tailored blouse that is really smart, but occasionally some decided novelty of design lifts one from the general class of the dull and uninteresting and marks it a success. Such a blouse is that shown on page 110, which is of satin in such shades as black, plum, navy, green, white, and brown, and is bound with black braid and fastened with black buttons. Binding and buttons serve in lieu of trimming.

#### FOR TANK SWIMMING

Excellent for tank swimming is the knitted bathing suit, which, for those who object to the tight-fitting one-piece suit, is a welcome offering. This model has a very short extra skirt, knitted to the top so it is actually all in one piece, but it does not follow the lines of the figure as closely as do the previous models. Knitted fabric in black or navy is the material of which the suit is made and the borders are of high colors or white. It may be had in a mercerized wool or in a mercerized silk fabric, the former for \$3.95, the latter for \$4.50.

#### PARIS SETS THE FUR FASHION

There have been few seasons when fur bandings were in greater favor than they are this year. Not only are they used for collars, cuffs, and as bands on dresses, but wide bands of fur appear as novel belts on one-piece frocks, suits, and evening wraps.

At their autumn openings the French couturiers showed a marked penchant for fur bandings of from three to five

inches wide. When these bandings were used at the bottom of skirts they were occasionally, instead of being set on the bottom where the wear on the fur is very hard, set up from the bottom of the skirt about three inches.

In choosing fur to be used on suits or frocks the color of the fur should be given careful attention. Brown furs look their best with browns, pinks, and yellows, while with blue, green, or the dark reds, black fur is the better choice. When the material is figured or striped a plain fur should be chosen.

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Note.—Addresses of the shops will be furnished on request, or The Shopping Department of Vogue will buy for you without extra charge. Address Vogue Shopping Service, 443 Fourth Ave., N. Y.



Not so large as some, and not so small as others, and plain enough and elaborate enough to fit many a varying occasion; \$13.50



The sailor which the tailored suit demands as its frequent companion is here ambitiously proportioned in black velvet; price, \$13.50



FOUR CHARMING WAYS TO KEEP MONEY AND TWICE  
AS MANY QUITE AS CHARMING WAYS TO SPEND IT



Any place the coiffure needs it may be stuck a barrette of demi blond shell and rhinestones; \$5.75; aluminum and rhinestone pin; \$4.25; a comb with a rim of real shell about an amber center; \$4.75; a comb with crystal to fill in the pattern of the rhinestones; \$2.4; and a feather pin of aluminum and rhinestones; \$4.50

Two reasons for being has the sautoir of grosgrain ribbon, silver, and rhinestones at the upper left; one to charm and the other to conceal a locket; \$18.95

The sad for crystal jewelry, which began in Paris, finds an exponent in the sautoir at the upper right. The crystal pendant is overlaid with rhinestones; \$12.95



A puff of black moire silk with an acorn-shaped ornament beneath and a gate top of German silver, capped in turn with a round carved top; \$5



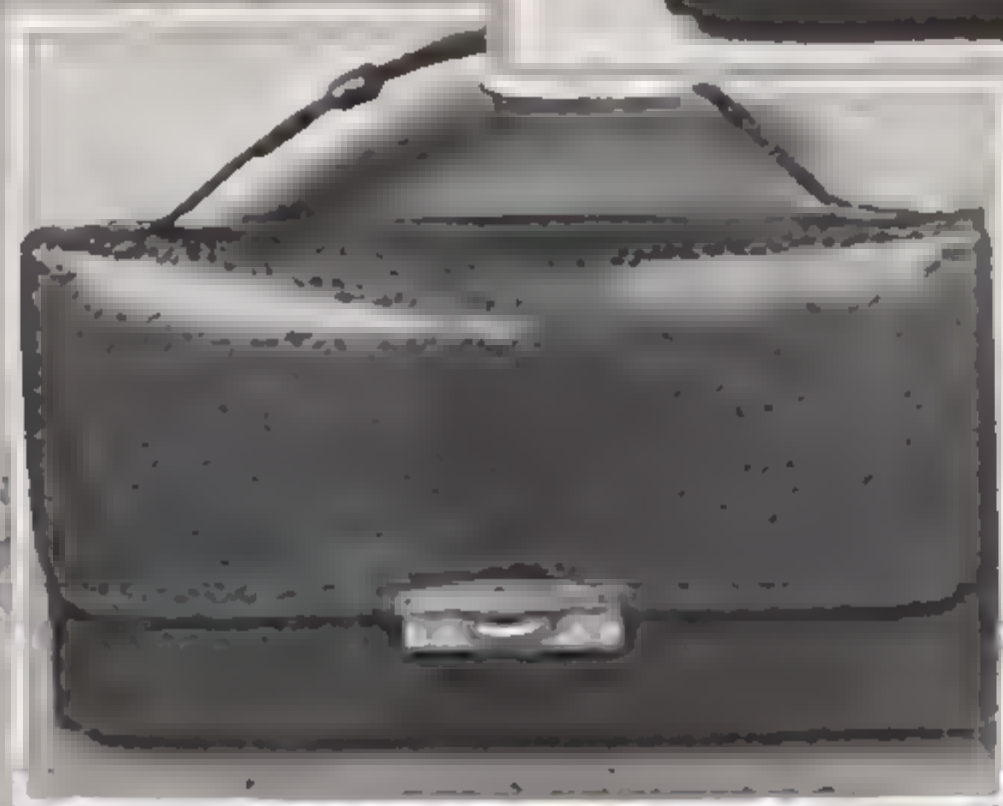
The king is dead, long live the king!—the vanity box resigns in favor of a levant leather bag, shown open above, with French gilt fittings. In any standard color; \$5.50



The sad for fulness extends to bags as well as to skirts, it seems, for here a bag of pin seal is shirred to its frame; price, \$12.05



Pin seal is a rival of the omnipresent gros-grain silk and a bag with an engagement pad, pencil, mirror, and change purse inside is justification of the rivalry; \$12.95



The service inevitably required somewhere about the costume may be most acceptably rendered by a silver and rhinestone pin; \$5



Fitted with the things to furbish up a toilet in one minute and with a compartment for money, too, is this bag of pin seal lined with moire. In black or a color; \$5.50





## TAKING THOUGHT OF FURS

With the First Cold Wind Comes a Bewildering Array of Fur Garments Which Make Much of the Flare of Coats and the Expansiveness of Muffs



*A coat of Hudson seal adds to the piquancy of its crisp flare, the youthfulness of a straight fur belt which crosses the front but respects the long lines of the back; \$125*



*A set especially suited to a young girl consists of scarf and muff of black fox, and is accompanied by an equally youthful hat of blue velvet and blue and gold ribbon; price of muff, \$23.50; price of scarf, \$18.75; hat, \$16.50*



*Chinchilla squirrel and seal combine in a set which is both elaborate and unique. A vanity bag matches the satin lining of the muff. The sailor is of black velvet and grosgrain ribbon; price of muff, \$50; scarf, \$28.50; hat, \$12.50*



*A second model of Hudson seal scorns the applied youthfulness of a belt, and falls in gracefully flaring lines from its smart high collar; \$95; large flat muff, \$22.50; hat, \$22.50*

THE question of furs, always interesting at this season, has an added interest this year, since the war, by its effect on the dye factories of Leipzig and other cities, makes next season's fur supply a matter of much uncertainty.

Furriers do not predict anything; the best houses do not care to make any promises nor, on the other hand, do they offer any alarming predictions, but many people doubt that the prices which prevail for this season will be met next winter. Consequently, this winter's models and this winter's values are unusually interesting.

### EXCELLENT QUALITY, EXCELLENT PRICE

A shop which has built up a large, successful fur business, and which stands for furs of excellent quality, very smartly made, at prices which are correspondingly excellent, is showing this season an extensive collection of furs, several models from which are illustrated on this page. The collection embraces furs of all sorts, from luxurious wraps of the popular kolinsky, which closely resembles sable, to simple sets of scarf and muff which show the newest combinations in furs.



*Taupe fox has a rival this season in taupe wolf, which combines with the desirable qualities of taupe fox a durability all its own. A chou and an aspiring quill of brown moire ribbon trim the brown velvet hat; price of muff, \$21; scarf, \$18; hat, \$16.50*

Fur coats have gained in interest this season by adopting a perceptible flare at the bottom. They are quite different from the draped models of last season, for they hang from the shoulders in an unbroken, bell-like line and fall in folds at the bottom. Many of them have belts in keeping with this style, by which they achieve a youthful air that gives them definite style.

### FUR COATS FLARED AND BELTED

The model shown at the left on this page is of this flaring, belted type and, like the coat at the right of the page, is a very wearable and serviceable garment. When purchasing a fur coat, it is the part of wisdom to look ahead a bit and to select a style which avoids the exaggerations of the mode and is practical as well as smart. Such a model is not always easily found, it is true, but it is worth a careful search. The Hudson seal skins of which these coats are made are of an excellent quality, and, in the matter of styles, while the coats show many of the newest features such as the flare and the collar high in the back, they are not in any sense extreme or likely to go out of style in a few months.

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A suit of dull black poplin makes half-way concession to the fashion of belts but insists upon conservatism in its every line; suit, \$75; hat, \$17

Airy lightness, the quality so difficult to capture in a mourning dress, is the dominant characteristic of this dinner dress of charmeuse and net; \$48

Such details as the tiny little bows at the neck and the little buttons on the blouse give the personal touch so rare in a ready-made frock; \$48

The hundred and one cases in which a one-piece frock under a top-coat fills a need no other costume could is met half-way in this chic frock; \$28

Short skirt and coat belted and flaring leave no doubt as to the vintage of this suit topped by a round faille silk sailor; suit, \$68; hat, \$23

## CORRECT MOURNING *from the* SHOPS

THERE was a time, not so very long ago, when it was quite difficult to buy correct mourning in any but the few shops devoted especially to such things. The department stores were not careful in their selection of mourning clothes and accessories and one constantly came upon a pretty frock or a smart blouse with just a touch of some alien material or trim-

Models Designed with Especial Care as to Cut and Materials, since, Robbed of Color, Mourning Costumes Depend upon Those Qualities for Their Effectiveness

with a fantasy at one side is worn with the suit described. This model combines distinction with simplicity.

The suit at the upper left is an excellent model for a full figure, although it may be worn well by a slender woman. It is made of a dull-finished poplin and is hand-embroidered and trimmed with faille silk, which also makes the cording (Continued on page 122)



Admirably is the foil of white against the black introduced in a smart, up-standing collar and narrow cuff band; price, \$7.50

ming which forbade its use as correct mourning. But now the fact is recognized that there is a constant demand for well-made smart mourning clothes that are correct in every detail, and the better class of shops usually have a special mourning department under the supervision of a person who understands exactly what constitutes mourning, and is aware of the many pitfalls into which one is so apt to fall.

Well-dressed women agree that mourning, to be in good taste, should never be noticeable. It may, in fact it should, be smart, for dull, uninteresting mourning is apt to make even the prettiest women look unattractive; but it should, by all means, have an air of quiet refinement which, translated into the language of clothes, means good materials, smartly designed and beautifully made. There is probably nothing in the entire gamut of clothes that looks as cheap as cheap mourning, and not only that, but it never

gives good service. On the other hand, it is not necessary to pay large prices for appropriate mourning clothes. A happy medium may be achieved by careful buying at good shops, and it is far better to have a few good costumes than to spend less (or perhaps more) for a varied selection. An elaborate mourning wardrobe is very apt to be in exceedingly bad taste and smacking of display.

Suits play the most important part in the winter wardrobe. This season suit

materials include the dull-finished cloths such as velours de laine, broadcloth in a lusterless finish, and poplin and silk faille for the more formal suits. The suit shown at the upper right is of a dull broadcloth trimmed with silk faille. The coat has the new flare, an interesting belt, and a full flaring skirt, all of which give it an air of smartness, yet quite without too much insistence upon the extremes of style. The suit is excellently tailored and the materials are of the best. A dull faille silk hat



No less compromising in type than the straight cuffs and the high collar itself is the trimmingless crêpe sailor; collar and cuffs, \$2; hat, \$17



Undisputed is the place occupied in every wardrobe by the simple blouse of soft, dull silk that can be tubbed when desired; \$7.50



# THE TOUCHSTONE OF SELECTIVE DECORATION

Success Awaits Whomsoever Will Leave Conventional Copying of Period Decoration and Select Furnishings from Many Periods in Accordance with the Laws of Color and Form



*Any room which shares the fine Japanese feeling for line and color and space befits the Japanese kakemono; \$75*



*American construction, English furniture, Persian rugs, and Japanese prints and lamp unite in a room which has the air, not of an art museum or a sales gallery, but of a real home*



*The beauty of design and color in a Japanese print make it an excellent criterion for judging other furnishings; \$50*

AMERICANS, who delight to dip into any art that pleases them and assemble the arts of many lands, sometimes achieve an aristocratic simplicity which is both puzzling and disconcerting to the purist in period styles. This is not so much a matter of luck as might appear. It is possible because restraint and simplicity are the basis of the finest art of any country, because things which are the products of fine art, like people who are products of fine culture, have always much in common, regardless of age or nationality. In the beginning, the artist ventures little; he copies the work of his fellows, until, mastering the technique, he grows bold and revels in experiment, in creating. Finally, having tired of the youthful joy of extravagance, he settles down to simplification, to the elimination of all that is unnecessary.

## THE SPELL OF THE EAST

Oriental art appeals to us, perhaps, because it represents so many centuries of experiment and elimination. Its fantastic spirit has always charmed the occidental designer. Even Chippendale, with all his mastery of design, was swept off his feet by the wave of oriental influence and ran riot in Chinese shapes and designs. From the days when the Dutch



*The work of the true Japanese craftsman will dislodge much bric-à-brac; Kien-Lung yellow porcelain, \$150; rock crystal figure, \$250; low table of red lacquer, \$15; white Iyo ware vase, \$5; stand, 75 cents; Chinese evergreen, 25 cents a branch*

East India ships brought their cargoes of wonderful china into European ports, the spell of these alluring designs has been upon western art. We tire of our once-in-so-often revivals of this or that art, even when fairly well done; but the art of the east has always been too difficult of accomplishment for us to revive it easily and tire of it.

The grotesquely ornate, made-for-America products of eastern countries are not worth even passing interest. They are so cheap and so wholly without merit, artistic or otherwise, that it is difficult to see how they can deceive the most casual layman. The good things, however, the true oriental products, unaffected by American commercialism, are so superlatively good that they carry an air of distinction into any interior which they enter. They must be used with intelligence, however, and this intelligence implies a certain knowledge of line and color, and an appreciation of delicacy and restraint in the placing of things and in seeing their relation to other things.

## A CRITERION OF FITNESS

Few people can, or desire to, translate American rooms into consistently oriental interiors, but all may find objects of oriental art which give particular pleasure, (Continued on page 114)



## S E E N O N T H E S T A G E

TO the critical observer, the most tantalizing type of play is the kind that suggests that, somehow or other, it ought to be considerably better than it is. There is no aftermath of disappointment to a play that is utterly bad, and the critic can cease to worry about it before the final curtain falls; but it is difficult to sleep in peace after seeing a play that has awakened an expectancy that it has never ultimately quite fulfilled. It is always disappointing to be disappointed; and the critic will spend many hours wondering how a play that came so near to being good might have been transmuted into a thoroughly satisfying piece of work. One of the most poignant maxims of dramatic criticism was unintentionally formulated by Robert Browning when he wrote,

"Oh, the little more, and how much it is!  
And the little less, and what worlds  
away!" . . .

All four of the plays that come up for consideration in the present paper have pleased a certain portion of the public; yet each of them awakens in the critical observer the disturbing consciousness of an artistic purpose only partially achieved. They suffer by comparison with the plays they might have been.

### "THE MIRACLE MAN"

PERHAPS the most disappointing of these plays is "The Miracle Man," for the simple reason that it was of this play that the most had been expected. In recent years, Mr. George M. Cohan has developed a habit of well-deserved success and has taught the public to expect from him one of the best plays of the year. He has not only succeeded in crowding the theatres with his plays, but he has succeeded also in winning the admiration of those sceptics who refused to take him seriously in the old days when he was writing ragtime music and waving the American flag and cutting capers on the stage as a song-and-dance comedian. The man who dramatized and staged "Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford" and "Seven Keys to Baldpate" is a very fine artist of the theatre. But Mr. Cohan is still a young man; and one of the most encouraging auguries of his future as a

Plays That Suffer by Comparison with the Plays  
They Might Have Been and Leave Us Half  
in a Mood to Praise, and Half to Blame, Some  
One for Hitching His Wagon Insecurely to a Star

By CLAYTON HAMILTON



Photograph by White Studio, N. Y.

As Lucy Gordon, Alice Brady asks "What Is Love?" in such an ingenuous way that the audience almost forgives her for her somewhat incredible ignorance on the subject

the affection of the Patriarch and in palming off his own paramour, named Helena, as the long-lost grand-niece whom the aged visionary has wished for many years to welcome to his home. Two other members of the gang, who are known familiarly as "Pale Faced Harry" and "The Flopper," proceed to Needley for the ostensible purpose of being cured of incurable diseases. The one appears to be dying of consumption, and the other assumes the part of a paralytic. At the chosen moment, each of these pretended invalids arranges to be restored to health, as if by miracle. The ruse is successful; Needley is made famous as a sort of minor Lourdes; and many gifts of money soon pour into the coffers of "Doc" Madison. But it happens that the pretended cure of "The Flopper" is so impressive that a little lame boy who witnesses it throws away his crutch and walks, and that many other people who are really stricken are cured of their ailments by the faith that is awakened in their souls. The crooks have trifled with a power that is stronger than their machinations. This power, in their own phrase, "gets them." One by one, they are impelled to renounce their ill-got gains and to resolve to go their ways and to sin no more.

### MAKING HASTE TOO HASTILY

It will be noticed that this story is developed in two successive moods. Until the pretended cure of "The Flopper" and the consequent real cure of the lame little boy, it is conceived in a mood of melodramatic comedy; after this climax, or turning-point, it is conceived in a mood of spiritual drama. Now, a dramatization of this story could be cast in either of these moods. It could not well be cast equally in both, because the two moods, while not incongruous when developed in the leisure of a novel, would seem incongruous if set forth in the hasty traffic of the stage.

If Mr. Cohan had wished to write a popular entertainment of the type of "Seven Keys to Baldpate," he would have chosen the first of these moods as the dominant note of his dramatization of "The Miracle Man." In choosing the second mood, it is entirely evident that he deliberately decided to disappoint the



The rôle of the much married "Pretty Mrs. Smith," played last season by Kitty Gordon, has been adapted to Fritz Scheff

dramatist is the fact that his reach still exceeds his grasp. He is not contented to make money and increase his popularity by writing "Baldpates" and "Wallingfords" forever. He means to write a big play some day, and he is not ashamed to say so to his friends. He is willing and eager to try and try again, until he succeeds at last in saying something of permanent importance on the stage. He has given up his ragtime music; he has given up his songs and dances; he has even given up his acting, though he is an excellent comedian. It would be entirely in keeping with his progress if he should give up the sort of plays for which the public now acclaims him in order to achieve a higher and a nobler type of drama. "The Miracle Man" is apparently his first attempt toward the realization of this ultimate ideal, and as such the attempt should be greatly commended.

### A REACH WHICH EXCEEDS ITS GRASP

This attempt is only half successful. It is, therefore, disappointing both to

those people who wished to see another "Baldpate" and to those other people who hoped that Mr. Cohan might achieve a big play the first time that he tried. "The Miracle Man" could only have been written by a very able artist of the theatre; and yet it can not quite be called a very able work of art.

This play is a dramatization of a novel by Mr. Frank L. Packard which first appeared last February in *Munsey's Magazine* and has since been published between covers of its own. The merits and the defects of Mr. Cohan's play may be made most easily apparent if we first review the narrative material that Mr. Packard handed to him.

A gang of crooks in the slums of New York happen to hear about a certain aged faith-healer in the little town of Needley, Maine, who has a local reputation for working miracles. They resolve to take possession of the Patriarch, as he is called, and to make money by exploiting his real or fancied powers. The gang is led by a clever confidence-man named "Doc" Madison. Madison succeeds in winning



Photograph by Bangs

Ernest Glendinning, who played the Pierrot of "Prunella," turns before the eyes of Boston into Dick Howard of "Wanted: \$22,000"





Though it's always disappointing to be disappointed, and "The Miracle Man" holds out a promise it does not fulfil, Gail Kane fills the difficult leading rôle with great success

expectation of his special public. This choice was hazardous and brave. Spiritual drama was a bigger thing than melodramatic comedy; and he chose to risk failure by attempting the higher task, rather than to insure success by accepting the more obvious endeavor. However one may feel about the finished work, it is impossible not to praise the author for refusing to repeat his past performances and preferring to rise on stepping-stones of one disappointing play to higher things.

#### WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN

This decision determined the structure of Mr. Cohan's drama. Having resolved to cast his emphasis on the regeneration of the criminals instead of on their clever and comic schemes, he was constrained to set the turning-point in their careers as early as possible in his pattern. Therefore he placed the climax at the close of the second act of his four-act play. There is an act of exposition in a somewhat comic mood, an act of drama culminating in the miracle, and two subsequent acts in which the bad people are transformed into good people.

The public does not like this structure; and, without committing himself to either side of this conflict of opinion, the critic may easily indicate the sort of pattern that the public would prefer. The

present fourth act might be thrown away, and the present third act of spiritual conversion might thus be made the last. This change would bring the climax to its customary place, at the close of the penultimate act. The only question that remains is what the dramatist might do in his first two acts; and this question is not difficult to answer. In the first act, the crooks might be shown in the slums of New York, hatching their clever and comic plot against the Patriarch. Then, in the second act, which would be set in Needley, Maine, an entertaining contrast might be drawn between the simple-minded inhabitants of that locality and the sophisticated criminals with whom the audience had already been made familiar in their habitual environment. To sum the matter up in a single sentence, Mr. Cohan might have made his play more popular if he had both begun and ended it at points that were situated earlier in the general current of the narrative that he was dealing with. Three acts of entertainment and one of moral purpose would have been more pleasing to his public than the proportion that he chose of two and two. This fact is evident from the reception of the play; but considering the apparent motive of the author's choice, the critic can only suspend judgment as to whether or not the choice was ill-advised.

#### "THE ELDER SON"

"THE Elder Son," which is a British adaptation by Frederick Fenn of a French comedy by Lucienne Nepoly entitled "Les Petites," may be described as an imitation of a study of real life. The theme is one that might have been developed into a thoroughly satisfying comedy of conversation. A widow and a widower, both of whom have children by their former marriages, marry and initiate a new family; and the comedy arises from the likely lack of harmony



Is cheery and indefatigable as its title is "He Comes Up Smiling," in which Patricia Collinge plays Billy, and after every performance the audience comes out smiling

between the children of the widow and the children of the widower and the child of both.

It is easy to imagine how fine a comedy might have been made upon this theme by such a dramatist as the late Stanley Houghton, who wrote "The Younger Generation"; but "The Elder Son" is lacking in all the merits that made the work of the lamented leader of the Manchester school of dramatists admired. This sort of play, above all things, should seem natural; and the present piece is obviously artificial.

#### A GOOD IDEA GONE WRONG

First of all, it is much too symmetrical in pattern. The widow has two children, both sons; the widower has two children, a son and a daughter. The elder child of the widow quarrels with the elder child of the widower; the younger child of the widow falls in love with the younger child of the widower. Both the quarrel-story and the love-story are complicated by the existence of a fifth child, the offspring of the present marriage of the widow and the widower. A patterning so obvious as this, with its frequent opportunities for parallelism and necessities of iteration, can scarcely be employed to produce an impression of actuality.

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Though "Tipping the Winner," with Edith Taliaferro, was ostensibly "adapted for America," the only adaptation of this otherwise cockney play would seem to be its noise



## W H A T T H E Y R E A D

"A GOOD book," said John Milton, "is the precious life-blood of a master spirit," yet the publisher of "Paradise Lost" paid Milton only five pounds for the greatest English epic. The "good book" that went so cheap in 1667 is still selling in competition with the many thousands of new books published annually in the English language, for the publishers, as well as the authors of new books, must compete with the whole literary past, not only of a particular nation, but of the civilized world. Anthony Trollope quaintly declared that the trade of authorship was the one of all others in which the conditions of the freest possible competition existed. All that was necessary to "set up author," he noted, was pen, ink, and paper. Since that time a typewriter, indeed, has become pretty nearly a sine qua non for successful authorship, so that the capital necessary to start the business is a trifle larger than it was in Trollope's day.

It is a hopeful sign for literature that about a score of American publishers, who may be regarded as mutually competitive, have so far forgotten this aspect of their relations as to organize The Publishers' Cooperative Bureau, which has for its object mutual aid in the wider distribution of new books. The American publishers have discovered that their public is really far behind some other publics in what they may be called the consumption of books. In other words, America is not a first rate book market, and the Publishers' Cooperative Bureau desires to improve the home market by such legitimate and reputable means as shall call new books favorably to the attention of all possible readers and buyers. "Book News" is the monthly organ of the Bureau, and in every issue of this publication, which already has a circulation of about forty thousand copies, each of the cooperating publishers is privileged to describe "without adjectives" two of his new publications.

All honest reviewers heard with pleasure of the Publishers' Cooperative Bureau, especially in view of that phrase "without adjectives." Such reviewers have long contemplated with pain the rather free use of descriptive adjectives, too often of the superlative degree, in the announcements and advertisements of new books, and nothing can appeal to such reviewers more strongly than the simple and sober presentation of the publisher's claim as to this or that new publication.

A good many hundred years before printing was invented a wise man wearily exclaimed: "To the making of books there is no end." No doubt the scribes of Solomon's day were a busy race, but their nimble fingers were but weak instruments in comparison with typesetting machines and the modern power press. There is a pretty general notion that we publish too many books, and certainly no critic of sound taste could wish all the books published to have a wider circulation. It is pretty certain, however, that if there were fewer poor books published there would also be fewer good books published. If fewer men and women were seeking self-expression through the medium of the printed word, fewer would manage to reach the public with a personal message worth heeding.

The publishers, as men of business, are eager to issue as many books as can be profitably sold, but the public owes the publishers a debt of gratitude for the many thousands of books that they decline to publish. Meanwhile, the reviewer, whose proper task it is to judge books conscientiously on their merits, tempering, however, justice with mercy, and eagerly waiting to welcome with encouragement whatever is excellent or promising in the novice who may prove the master of the future, may properly cooperate with the publishers in their desire to

## Reading History between the Lines of Love Letters, and Love Stories between the Pages of Memoirs



Courtesy of McBride, Nast & Company

"The Love Letters of Juliette Drouet to Victor Hugo" show that from him she learned the lesson of idealistic devotion and bettered both instruction and instructor by working with head and hands to keep it a religion. From Champmartin's picture of the actress

widen the circulation of new books. Emerson did both publishers and public a wrong when he proclaimed that he never read a book less than ten years old. It is well to make acquaintance with the "life-blood" of the master spirits long vanished, but it is not well to live intellectually and spiritually a decade behind one's own time.

### PORTRAITS FRAMED BY BOOK MARGINS

THE LOVE LETTERS OF JULIETTE DROUET TO VICTOR HUGO, edited by LOUIS GIMBAUD and translated by LADY THEODORA DAVIDSON, tells the tale of a woman's lifelong devotion, and a great man's monumental egotism. For more than fifty years Juliette Drouet gave herself absolutely to Victor Hugo, while he, when her beauty began to wane as she approached forty, entered upon a course of systematic infidelities, and after a time had the base ingratitude to speak with contempt of this faithful woman who demanded almost nothing of him and gave herself with reckless generosity. She wrote to him during their long liaison, which began when she was barely twenty-six and ended only with her death at 77, about twenty thousand letters, of which this volume contains, of course, only a small

erty, worked with head and hands, and kept his philosophy of idealistic love as a religion.

Such is the tragic story told with fascinating charm and interest in the first one hundred and fifty pages of this book. Then follow two hundred and fifty pages of the letters, from those of 1833, when the liaison had just begun, to the last letter, shortly before her death, addressed to Hugo, January 1, 1883, and reading: "Dear Adored One, I do not know where I may be this time next year, but I am proud and happy to sign my life-certificate for 1883 with this one word: 'I love you.'" One closes this extraordinary tale of a woman's self-sacrifice with the thought that Juliette's unselfish devotion to an egotistical genius probably enriched her life. The translation is admirably done, and the illustrations, especially the portraits, are of great interest. (New York: McBride, Nast & Company, \$2.50 net; postage 16 cents.)

FRANCE FROM BEHIND THE VEIL: Fifty Years of Social and Political Life, by COUNT PAUL VASSILI, comes at a time when it is likely to attract more interest than his recently published memoirs of the Russian Court. The new book, in fact, is a far more considerable work than the other, more serious in its treatment of persons and events and more illuminating in relation to the vast drama of blood now playing upon the European theater. In style, too, it is on the whole a better work than its predecessor and is distinguished by a charming ease, freshness, and frankness of expression. If it is a translation the translator had the rare gift of avoiding the crudities that usually creep into translations from the French, in which language the accomplished Russian probably wrote his memoirs.

Count Vassili went to Paris as an attaché of the Russian Legation less than two years before the fall of the Second Empire. His earlier chapters deal, therefore, with that tinsel-brilliant period of Gallic shame, and with the audacious and often scandalous society that gathered about the court of Napoleon III. The narrator treats Napoleon and Eugénie with his accustomed charity, but it is hard to believe that the emperor, with his dumpy figure, disproportionately large head carried slightly on one side, and his shoulders of unequal height, could have been quite so impressive as Count Vassili would have us think. As to Eugénie, he pays manifestly sincere tribute to this extraordinary woman at the waning of her youth and on the verge of her awful fall. He found her a marvel of grace, loveliness, ease, sweetness, and of seeming youth, and he strongly insists that she was an absolutely faithful wife, despite Napoleon's notorious infidelities. Count Vassili leaves us to believe, however, that he felt the empress never quite to have measured up to the place she attained. She was not very tactful, far too trustful, and much too outspoken.

It is interesting to find Count Vassili describing with minute care the Princess Pauline Metternich, who has been preserved for us in the memoirs of a brilliant Frenchman belonging to the period of the Third Empire. Many Americans, who watched with sympathy Anna Gould's separation from Count Boni de Castellane, will take satisfaction in Vassili's judgment of that arrant fortune-hunter, spendthrift, and ingrate.

Scandalous the count's revelations often are, as, to wit, his clear insinuation touching the reason of Letitia Bonaparte's marriage to her uncle, the Duke of Aosta, brother of the late King of Italy, and his assertion that a very famous French aristocrat, whose son is of American connection, habitually blackmailed the wife from whom he was separated.

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part. These letters breathe love, devotion, admiration, seldom convey bitter complainings, even when they reproach the faithless lover, and, as a whole, reveal a singularly noble and loving character.

Hugo, who reached early manhood with the highest notions of marital love, was almost stricken down by the discovery that his wife was the mistress of his friend Sainte Beuve, the critic and poet. Sainte Beuve was blackguard enough to boast of the lady's favors in a famous volume of poems, a piece of dastardly ingratitude that gave another critic the opportunity to say one of the most brilliantly cutting things that even French literature has produced. He declared with scorn that Sainte Beuve's poems had left upon the reputation of Madame Hugo the sort of brilliant, slimy trail that the snail imprints upon the rose.

From a false wife, Hugo, still holding to his idealistic conception of love, turned to the beautiful young actress, Juliette Drouet, who had already borne to an utterly unworthy lover an illegitimate child, and whose feet were fast following the primrose path of dalliance that leads women to utter ruin. She loved Hugo from the first, and she learned from him the lesson of idealistic devotion of one woman to one man. She bettered both instruction and instructor, for she forsook the gay world for his sake, lived in pov-



## VOGUE PATTERN SERVICE

**E**ACH month brings with it wider skirts as such a design as Nos. 2780/21-2781/21 testifies. Here we have a circular skirt which measures four yards at the foot-line but fits snugly at the hips. The bodice, which is slightly fitted to the figure, has its seams corded, which accentuates their becoming line and thus makes what might otherwise be a trying bodice a most becoming one.

Nos. 2778/21-2779/21 introduce one of the latest fashion notes, an underskirt of fur. In some cases, this skirt is made of a short-haired fur such as caracal, moleskin, or sealskin. When the long-haired furs are used the same effect may be achieved by applying a wide band of fur such as kolinsky or skunk, much favored furs, at the bottom.

Nos. 2776/21-2777/21 give the new silhouette by following the princess lines. To a woman who appreciates the grace of unbroken line, this frock will make its strongest appeal. It adapts itself most admirably to a combination of materials such as velvet and satin or satin and cloth with a sheer vest of flesh colored chiffon or silk tulle. Buttons, loops, and the embroidered motifs may introduce the bit of metal trimming that is the feature of many of the best models. Dull



Nos. 2778/21-2779/21  
One of the newest of fashion notes is here: the effect of an underskirt of fur, though it may only be a wide band of fur sewn to a slightly circular underskirt of silk

Nos. 2780/21-2781/21  
Topping a circular skirt, fitted snugly at the hips, is a quaint little fitted bodice primly finished with a high collar and narrow cuffs of fur, its seams corded for conspicuousness

Nos. 2776/21-2777/21  
Originally this model was developed in black velvet with princess overdress of satin, the embroidered motifs in dull gold and rose tones, and the buttons and loops of tarnished gold

gold thread and buttons are effective on a blue material while on a cedar green gown bronze buttons and embroidery are more artistic.

Nos. 2774/21-2775/21 play up in one model to two of the newest fashion features of the winter; the tunic falls below the hem of the skirt and is cut away at the front the better to display the fact, and the bodice does not stop at the waist-line as was the one-time practise of bodices, but continues to the hip-line and so accomplishes the princess silhouette. The collar also abides by the letter of the law and is just as high and just as snug as the mode of the moment dictates. The waistcoat, which was established as a protégé of the spring, shows no signs of relinquishing its place and appears here buttoned primly up the front. In No. 2772/21 is another model which emphasizes the straight-line silhouette by its novel cut.

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Nos. 2695/21-2696/21  
Simulated waistcoat and sleeves of satin smarten a frock of blue velours gabardine

Nos. 2724/21-2725/21  
Suggesting a new frock but susceptible to the remodeling of one from last season

Nos. 2666/21-2667/21  
The coat-dress, which grows in favor with the season, is at its best in blue gabardine

Nos. 2774/21-2775/21  
Paris dictates for the newest frocks tunics conspicuously longer than underskirts

Nos. 2734/21-2735/21  
Unquestionably charming for afternoon is satin veiled with coile or chiffon cloth

No. 2772/21  
At its best the one-piece frock is interpreted in a simple, almost trimmingsless, way





Nos. 2744/21-2745/21  
Sphinx velours with sealskin collar, cuffs, and buttons will be especially successful in this suit



Nos. 2693/21-2694/21  
With a plaited skirt hung from a hip yoke, a surplice bodice of charming simplicity is worn



Nos. 2766/21-2767/21  
An artistic frock is this developed in blue gabardine with petticoat and sleeves of black satin



Nos. 2754/21-2755/21  
Distinction of line is gained in a severely tailored suit by a strict elimination of all trimming

### INDOOR AND OUTDOOR WINTERTIME COSTUMES AND SOME THAT MAY SERVE AS BOTH

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No. 2728/21  
Enough of a sports coat for many occasions, yet conservative in its line



Nos. 2742/21-2743/21  
A belt on coat and skirt alike and many plaits distinguish this youthful suit



Nos. 2732/21-2733/21  
Tucks of different widths trim a skirt and accentuate the flare of it



Nos. 2770/21-2771/21  
With a suit of ruby velours a buff waistcoat, oddly fastened, is smart



Nos. 2750/21-2751/21  
Interpreting the surplice bodice and circular skirt anew for the new mode



No. 2739/22  
Winter weather demands a top-coat to wear over a one-piece afternoon dress





No. 2740/21  
Easily made is this long cloak that will protect the light evening gown from all the dangers of the night damps



Nos. 2722 21-2723 21  
Sleeveless and with draped bodice is a frock with a much ruffled skirt and little more than a ruffle for its bodice



No. 2769/21  
Comfort and beauty are combined in a voluminous cape bordered with fox for evening wear



Nos. 2687/21-2688/21  
By a sash brought over the shoulders and fastened to a girdle bodice, and a double skirt, a frock is made distinctively smart



No. 2741/21  
A luminous evening wrap gives the quaint new silhouette by its circular cut skirt and its high and narrow shoulder-line

THE evening wraps of the season are quite as warm as they are beautiful, which is to be appreciated in consideration of the fact that the evening bodice is a most sketchy affair, little more than a high girdle with wisps of tulle draperies, perhaps, for sleeves. Such a design as No. 2740/21, for example, made of velvet with wide bands of skunk or natural colored marabou as trimming, is a wrap to protect the wearer of the thinnest frock on the coldest night. Evening frocks such as Nos. 2752/21-2753/21 are charming when made of silk tulle over sapphire satin and trimmed with paillettes. This model is most effective, also, banded with shining bands

of paillettes in different shades of opal. Silver lace used for the sleeves of No. 2691/21-2692/21 is very good-looking, especially if the gown is made of lilac satin with a silver sheen, and is fastened with silver buttons.

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Nos. 2752/21-2753/21  
Graceful in line, simple of cut, and easily made is a gown favored for charm as well as for fashion



Nos. 2689/21-2690/21  
Approved of fashion is the frock with barely a suggestion of a curve at the waist-line and with skirt shirred



Nos. 2691/21-2692/21  
With tunic and skirt merged into one and a waistcoat fastened with three jeweled buttons for a bodice



Nos. 2787/21-2788/21  
Over a circular skirt of brocaded silk hangs a plaited apron of tulle which matches the drapery of the bodice

DANCE FROCKS OF CHIFFON THAT GLITTER WITH PAILLETES, AND EVENING WRAPS OF VELVET BANDED WITH FUR



BLOUSE MODELS OF THE AUTUMN PRESENT A SURVIVAL OF THE MOST FITTED



No. 2786/21  
A blouse which outdoes the basque in quaintness may balance sobriety of cut by such a material as flesh colored crêpe, with buttons of ivory

AS for blouses, they seem to retain a large share in the proportioning of the wardrobe, for, in spite of the rivalry of the one-piece frock and the top-coat, the suit and blouse are still the most important items of clothing.

No. 2786/21 shows a new blouse model with collar at its highest, sleeves at their longest and tightest, and seams at their snug-gest. No. 2785/21 reverses the order of the waistcoat and buttons it in the back, adds chiffon sleeves and a collar just as high as it is long, and demands a high girdle to make up for its charming deficiencies at the waist-line in front.

No. 2783/21 shows a clever bit of designing in the box plaits which do not hesitate even under the arm, but form a novel lattice under which a broad



No. 2782/21  
The blouse with lace or chiffon sleeves holds its own among the autumn models



No. 2784/21  
Newest of the new, this blouse of satin with high collar and fitted cuffs echoes the line of the raglan sleeves in quaintly scalloped and buttoned edges



No. 2785/21  
Semifitted and buttoned in back, a velvet bodice with lace sleeves and collar high in the back betrays the lingering influence of the waistcoat

velvet ribbon surrounds the waist proper. Instead of narrowing at the wrists the sleeves are box plaited and held snugly under velvet ribbons.

For the tailored blouse, few models could be more satisfactory than that at the lower left corner of the page, No. 2686/21, which combines the raglan sleeve with a close turned-back cuff, finishes the neck with a high turn-over collar which consists of a ribbon band in front, and buttons trimly down the middle of the front.

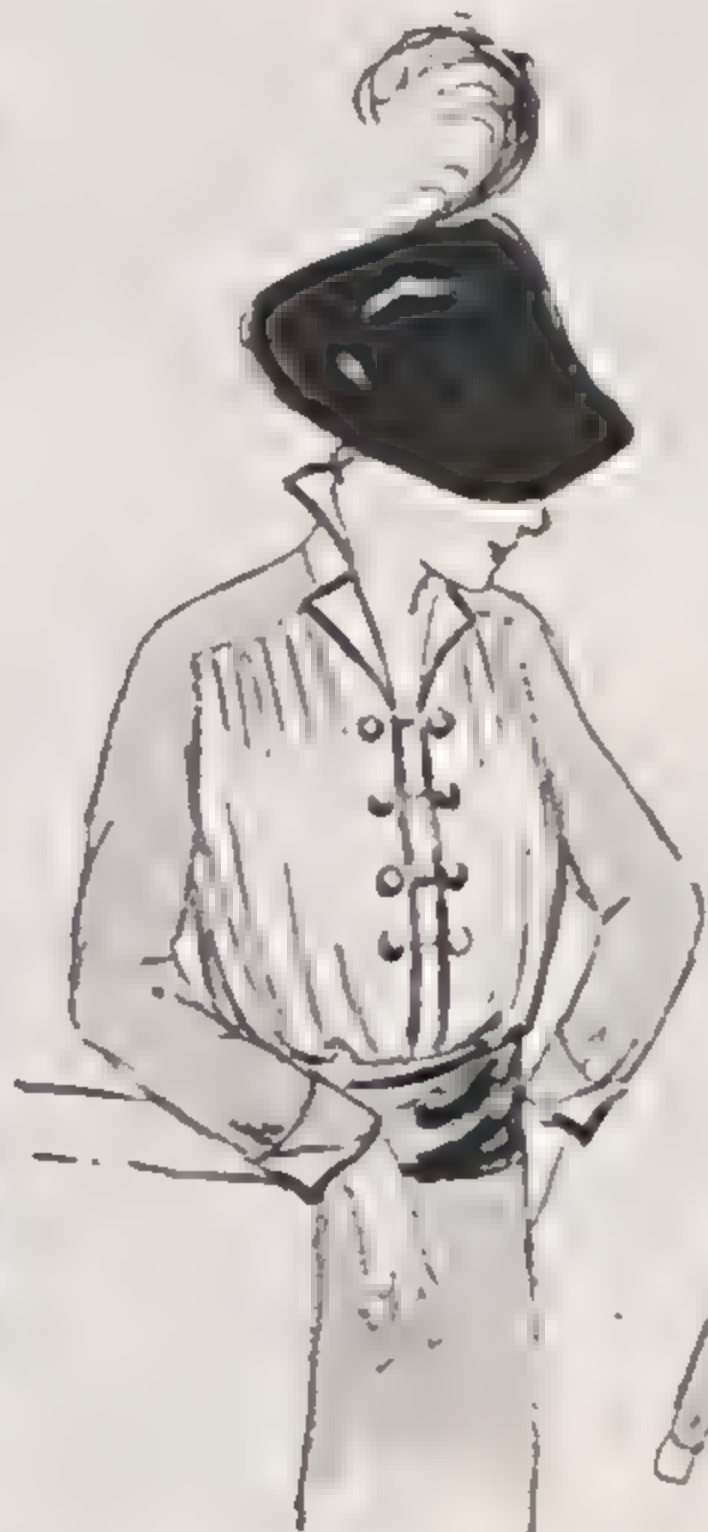


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No. 2783/21  
Novelty may be given to a box-plaited blouse of satin or Georgette crêpe by velvet ribbon threaded through the plaits, with a bow in front



No. 2686/21  
Trim and tailored, with high collar and long sleeves, is a practical blouse suitable for morning



No. 2768/21  
A military effect is given by braiding and buttons on a model appropriate for white tub satin



No. 2680/21  
The long coat-blouse which fits many occasions makes a practical and economical wardrobe addition



No. 2483/21  
Beaded motifs on chiffon or embroidery on crêpe make a smart trimming for this simple blouse



No. 2685/21  
For a satin blouse with collar of "crêpe français," the finish may be embroidery or trimming of braid





Nos. 2683/21-2684/21

The blouse pays half-hearted tribute to the high collar, and the skirt surrenders in the same degree to plaits



Nos. 2498/21-2499/21

Not an inch of fulness too much and not a fraction too little of fulness spells the trimness of sports clothes



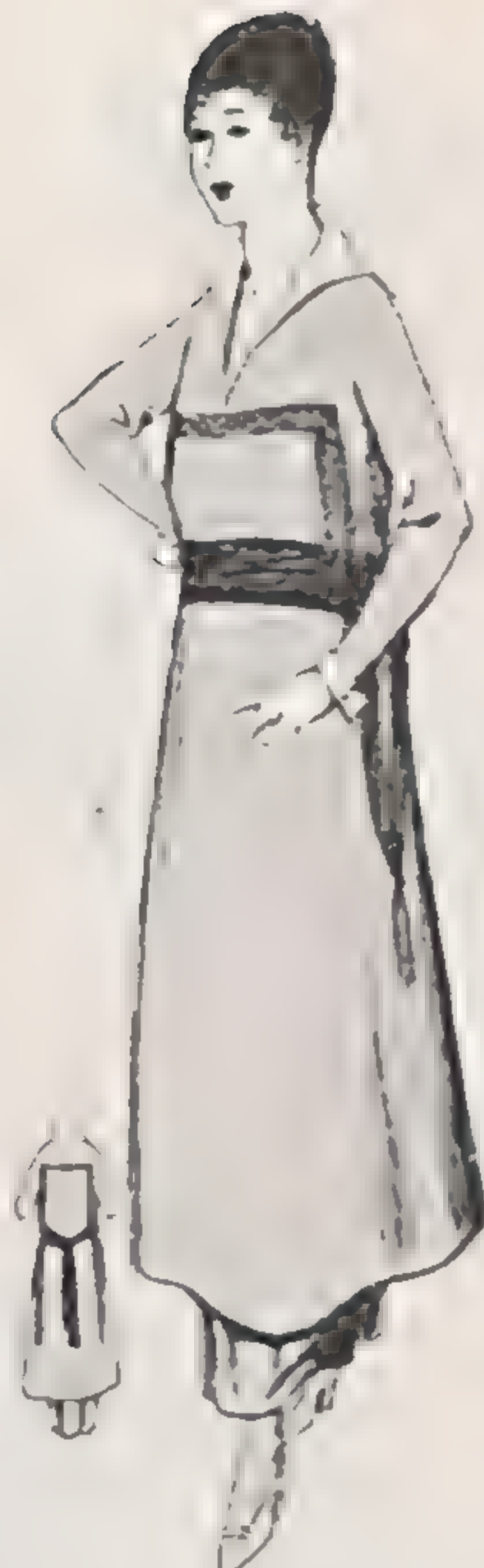
No. 2756/21

Blue serge and the omnipresent black satin for the collar and girdle are good materials for this one-piece dress



Nos. 2726/21-2727/21

Pockets abound in many French models and this circular skirt has two of them. The blouse has a novel sleeve



No. 2664/21

Two characteristics of the mode, the chemise silhouette and the sagging belt, appear in this conservative model

## ONE-PIECE DRESSES AND SEPARATE

## WAISTS AND SKIRTS PLANNED SPECIFICALLY WITH A VIEW TO PRACTICALITY

SUCH models as those suggested by the patterns of the waists and skirts and dresses shown on this page are plainly intended for service, and for this reason the materials selected for their development should be of the most conservative type. Tweeds and cheviots would be appropriate for the skirts, serges for the dresses, and tub silks or white tub satin for the waists.



No. 2620/21



No. 2705/21

Two versions of the waistcoat, which began its career last season and continues it into this



No. 2608/21

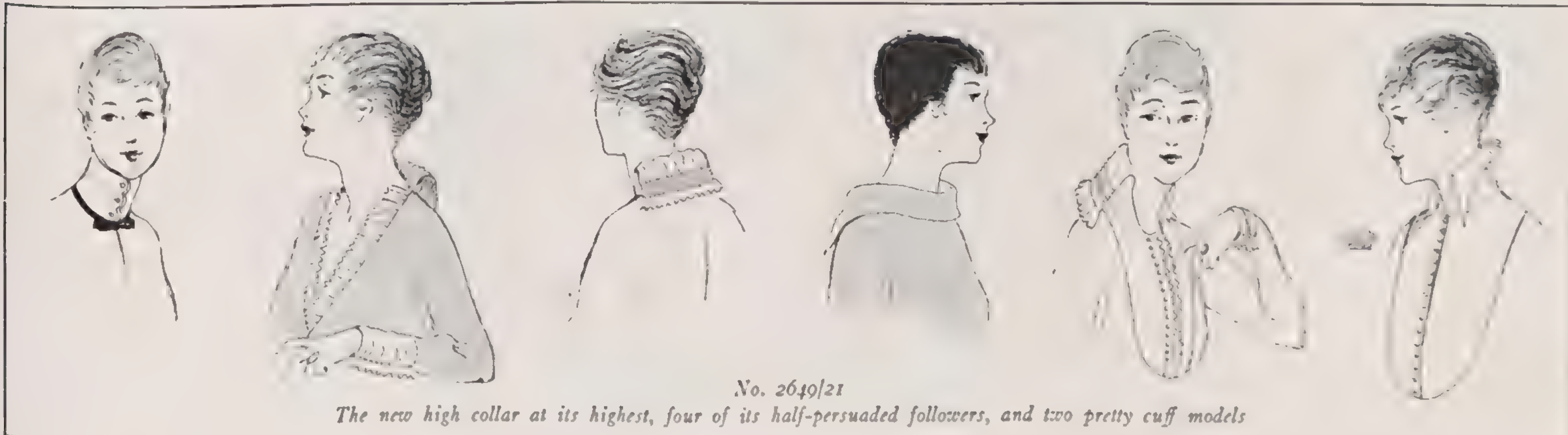
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## SMALL ACCESSORIES OF DRESS WHICH

## SMARTEN AND FRESHEN AN OLD COS-

## TUME AND ADD A CHIC TOUCH TO A NEW

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No. 2649/21

The new high collar at its highest, four of its half-persuaded followers, and two pretty cuff models





No. 2182/21—Sizes 2 to 6 years  
A simply made frock smocked in front and buttoned in the back



No. 2644/21—Sizes 2 to 8 years  
A three-piece suit consisting of jacket, blouse, and trousers



No. 2645/21—Sizes 2 to 8 years  
Practical is a dress which may be unbuttoned and flattened out



No. 2641/21—Sizes 4 to 12 years  
A guimpe makes a frock one in which changes may be made



No. 2639/21—Sizes 2 to 12 years  
A kimono frock with possibilities for variety in trimming



No. 2463/21—A layette of short garments for a six months or one year old baby

MINIATURE PATTERNS FOR THE BABY,  
SOME SMART DESIGNS FOR LITTLE FOLK'S  
CLOTHES, AND MODELS FOR LINGERIE

The patterns illustrated on this page are priced 50 cents each, except No. 2463/21 and No. 2536/21, each of which contains patterns for a number of garments for 50 cents. The lingerie patterns are in sizes 34 to 40 inches bust measure; the sizes of the models for children's clothes are given under each pattern. An illustration, directions, and material requirements are given with each pattern. Order from Vogue Pattern Service, cor. 30th Street, New York City



No. 2536/21—An infant's layette, consisting of thirteen separate little garments



No. 2587/21  
The collar, which merges into a sash, and the drapery of the sleeves make this negligée one of unusual attractiveness



No. 2586/21  
All elaboration and most seams have been eschewed in this combination



No. 2218/21  
A well defined waistline to follow the lines of the new corsets has this model



No. 2525/21  
Shirred bands of trimming through which to slip the ribbon add a touch of novelty



No. 2523/21  
A French chemise, or envelope combination, is the simplest of garments to make



No. 2581/21  
A brassière that buttons in the back and has four tucks to fit it closely but not too tightly is designed for the average figure



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Crepe de Chine—white or flesh color—fashioned with the new stock collar with flaring turnover, and new sleeves which ripple over the hands—both are interlaced and tied with black moire ribbon.

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With collar and cuffs of skunk - opossum. In white, champagne, gold, light blue, dark brown, bottle green and maize—lined with peau de cygne to match. Buttons covered with the broadcloth.



## Evening Coat, \$35

Broadcloth, with collar of taupe dyed moufflon; large silk tassel in back. In gold, wistaria, gray and black—lined with peau de cygne to match. In Silk Plush, \$55.

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# FOR THE HOSTESS



WITH the coming of the brisk cool days of autumn, the hostess, especially if she is of those who stay late in the country for the autumn sports, turns her attention to luncheon dishes which are somewhat substantial and may be served very hot and savory. Casserole dishes are very satisfactory for this purpose, and as this is the season of game, rabbit makes an appropriate base for such a dish.

## FIRST CATCH THE HARE

To prepare a delicious rabbit in casserole, two young rabbits should be jointed, cut in pieces of convenient size to serve, and larded if desired. After being lightly dredged with flour, they are fried a golden brown in fresh butter. The pieces are then placed in an earthenware casserole with a quart of rich stock, a gill of white wine, a bunch of sweet herbs, and about two ounces of butter mixed with a little pepper and salt and about two teaspoonfuls of flour. The casserole is then covered closely and the rabbit is allowed to simmer in the oven for about half an hour, until tender. The broth is then skimmed, the sweet herbs removed, and the meat arranged on a hot dish. The thick brown sauce is poured over the meat, and just before serving a garnish of sections of bitter Seville orange and of orange peel in fancy shapes is added.

Another appetizing way of serving rabbit is that called "Vienna rabbit." In making this, the rabbit is jointed as for the rabbit in casserole. Two heaping tablespoonfuls of butter are melted in a saucepan. When the butter is hot, a tablespoonful of finely chopped parsley, two shallots, and a half cupful of bacon cut in small dice are added. These are fried until the shallots are nearly done, then the rabbit is added, with plenty of salt and pepper, and simmered until very tender. When it is thoroughly cooked, the meat is removed and the gravy is thickened with flour and allowed to boil for a few minutes with constant stirring. The saucepan is then removed from the fire and a bit of cayenne pepper, a few drops of lemon juice, and the well-beaten yolks of two eggs are added to the gravy. The rabbit is put back into the gravy and the saucepan is returned to the fire for a minute or two until the rabbit is very hot. Care must be taken not to let the gravy boil after the egg is added, otherwise it will not be smooth.

## R'S AND OYSTERS

Autumn also brings the return of oysters to the menu, and many excellent luncheon dishes may be prepared from them. Oysters *Rambouillet* are novel and dainty, yet are sufficiently substantial to form the principal dish of a simple luncheon. Two cups of rice are boiled until light and dry. While the rice is still hot, a cupful of whipped cream, salted, is stirred in. A three-pint mold is lined with strips of red peppers and bits of stuffed olives, held in place with gelatine, and a layer of the rice mixture

about an inch thick is spread on. The liquor from two dozen large oysters is strained and two cupfuls of diced celery are stewed in it until tender. Then the oysters are added and cooked for a few minutes until the edges begin to curl. The lined mold is filled with this mixture, and a layer of rice put over the top. The mold is then set in a deep pan of hot water and placed in the oven for twenty minutes, after which the deliciously brown rice loaf is turned out on a hot platter and garnished with watercress.

## SOLE SO-CALLED

Sole and smelts are also to be had at this season, and many pleasing variations of the luncheon menu may be made by using them. The fish usually sold in America as sole is really a species of flounder, called fluke; the meat is a little finer in grain than that of the ordinary flounder. If fluke is not obtainable, however, flounder will serve almost as well. The fish should weigh about a pound and a half each, and from each fish two fillets may be made. To prepare appetizing stewed sole with olives, each fillet is dipped in melted butter flavored with pepper, salt, and lemon juice, rolled up, and fastened by a bit of tape. In each fillet is placed a large olive stuffed with anchovy paste, and the fillets are fitted closely together in a well-buttered baking dish so that each stands upright. A piece of buttered paper is put over the dish and the pan is placed in a hot oven for ten minutes. Meanwhile a thick white sauce flavored with white wine should be prepared. This is poured over the fish, which is allowed to simmer in it for fifteen minutes. A mound of cooked rice is placed on a hot platter, the fish arranged around it and on top of it, and olives stuffed with anchovy paste are placed between the fillets of fish. The yolk of an egg beaten up with a tablespoonful of cream is stirred into the sauce after the fish is taken out, a tablespoonful of orange juice is added and the sauce is poured over the fish. A sprinkling of parsley makes an appropriate garnish.

## SMELTS WITHOUT SAUCE TARTAR

Baked smelts Newport are a variation from the more usual fried smelts with tartar sauce. The smelts are cleaned and the backbones removed. Each smelt is stuffed with a forcemeat made of bread-crumbs, chopped mushrooms, and minced oysters, with pepper, salt, and melted butter, and, if desired, a very small bit of chopped onion. Each fish is tied up with thread or tape, dipped in melted butter, then in bread-crumbs, and again in melted butter. They are then arranged in a dish and baked for about twenty-five minutes. They should be served around a pile of Julienne potatoes, with a half lemon skin filled with lemon butter placed at intervals on the platter. To make lemon butter, four tablespoonfuls of butter are creamed and one tablespoonful of minced parsley and the same quantity of lemon juice are beaten into the mixture.



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A Day and Night Camp at Which Young Working Women of St. Louis May Regain the Strength Vitiated by Overwork in the Crowded City

A GREAT deal has been said and written of late in regard to the wonderful amount of ingenuity and painstaking work which the women of society have brought to bear upon the problem of caring for the European families rendered destitute on account of the war. However, if the truth were known, there is never a time when the women of the so-called idle class are not using their influence and their financial resources in philanthropic enterprises, great or small. One notable instance is the work of Mrs. Charles Cummings Collins of St. Louis in establishing a tuberculosis camp for young working girls.

One day while she was shopping, Mrs. Collins noticed that the young woman who waited upon her was distressingly worn looking, and in answer to her questions she found that the girl felt herself to be gradually failing in health, but was unable to take the rest necessary to refresh and strengthen her.

### THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CAMP

Subsequent inquiries of the officers of the St. Louis branch of the society for the cure and prevention of tuberculosis disclosed the fact that while the city of St. Louis supported hospitals for the treatment of tuberculosis, there was no provision made for the care of overworked girls who were in danger of contracting the disease. Mrs. Collins learned, however, that other cities, Chicago, Boston, Cleveland, Detroit, and Baltimore, maintained fresh air camps at which overworked patients might be cared for, and she immediately decided that St. Louis must not be allowed to lag behind in such a matter.

One whole summer was given to the organization of this charity. Mrs. Collins began her work systematically by visiting the business houses and factories of the



Mrs. Charles Cummings Collins, who established the Day and Night Camp of St. Louis

city, in order to acquaint both employers and employees with her plans for the establishment of a fresh-air camp for working girls. It was estimated that five thousand dollars would be required to prepare and open the camp, but when it was completed it was found that the actual expenditure totaled something over six thousand dollars.

Two weeks after the project was launched two thousand dollars had been donated toward it, subscriptions have been received ever since, and the camp, which was christened "The Night and Day Camp," was opened in March, 1913, since which time two hundred young women have been cared for there and restored to a condition of

health which permitted them to return to their work in the city. Some of the girls have been entirely cured.

### SOURCES OF SUPPORT

A gas company of St. Louis granted the use of a three-acre plot of land to the Day and Night Camp, and some of the most prominent physicians of St. Louis give their services to the patients there. Mrs. Finley J. Shepard, who was then Miss Helen Gould, was interested enough in the Night and Day Camp to send to Mrs. Collins a check for ten thousand dollars to be used for the furtherance of its plans, and the annual charity ball for its benefit has become one of the regular events of the St. Louis social season.

The two balls which have been held already were among the smartest events of the seasons in which they were held and each resulted in a three thousand dollar addition to the fund for the maintenance of the camp. Another fashionable social event, and one from which the camp realized fifteen hundred dollars, was a cherry carnival given by Mrs. Collins last April.



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The curtains are then drawn back, and one of the comic paintings exhibited. After the announcement of a picture, the guests try to guess what picture will be shown as the illustration of the title before the curtains are drawn open. In order to puzzle them the more a bonafide picture of the subject announced could be occasionally introduced.

A list of suggestions for titles and pictures follows:

The Charge of the Light Brigade (a gas bill); The Horse Fair (a bag of oats); The Village Friar (a frying-pan); Cast Up by the Sea (a large sea shell); The Plain Beyond (a real western plain); The Tax on Tea (a large package of tacks on a tea cannister); Portrait of Washington (a postage-stamp); The Lamplighter (a common match); A May Day ("May 1" written on the canvas); A Swimming Match (a match in a bowl of water); Aurora (a picture of a lion); Waiting for a Match (a cigar or filled pipe); The Acrobat (a tumbler); Shaker Twins (two salt shakers); A Schooner from New York (painting of a real schooner with the Statue of Liberty in the distance); Cain and Abel (a cane and a bell); A Little Shaver (a safety razor); Bound to Rise (a box of yeast powders); A Well-Known Crook (a corkscrew); Horses (a clothes-horse and a saw horse); Mates (a pair of gloves); After the Bath (a crash towel); Light and Shade (a lighted lamp beside a lampshade); Spring (a large coiled bed-spring); My Best Friend (a well-filled pocketbook); A Marine (a real sea scene); The Joiners (a can of glue and one of mucilage); Mustered In and Mustered Out (a pot of mustard with some of it running out).

### WITHOUT DANCING OR CARDS

Miss N. M. S.:—Will you suggest some means of entertaining a party of about twenty-five young men and girls, without falling back upon dancing or cards?

Ans.:—A good way to entertain without cards or dancing is to plan some game that will keep every one occupied and will break the ice of conversation at once. Why not try cutting out the pictures of well-known advertisements, pasting them on numbered pieces of pasteboard, and hanging them on the wall for the guests to guess the names? Each guest should be given a slip of paper with as many ruled blanks as there are advertisements. Simple prizes may be given the persons who guess correctly the greatest number of names.

A millinery party in which the men trim the hats causes much amusement. Charades are not difficult; in fact, any game that keeps up interest is welcome. A little music, either on the piano or on a phonograph, adds to the gaiety of the party, especially if it is popular music.

A very amusing entertainment might be introduced as an "Art Exhibit." A small stage is erected at one end of the hall with curtains stretched on a wire across the front. A flat board frame, about forty by fifty inches in size and painted in imitation of the usual gilt frame for paintings is placed on an easel on the stage behind the curtain. Pictures for the exhibit should be painted on cheap cotton cloth tacked on wooden stretchers that fit the frame. A scenic artist could, at a nominal cost, make these crude paintings in water-colors such as he uses for stage work.

When the guests have all been seated before the curtain, the announcement is made that they are about to be treated to a view of a lately acquired and valuable collection of paintings. The name or title of the first painting should then be announced by an exhibitor, or the name of the picture to be shown could be lettered on a large card and placed on a small easel in front of the curtain, and changed as the curtain closes on each picture.

### TEA-ROOM TALK

Mrs. N. L. S.:—I have an opportunity to secure a position as manager of a new luncheon and tea-room which is about to be opened, and I want novel ideas about how to furnish it and what to serve.

Ans.:—In answer to your request for ideas for a tea-room, we would suggest that a light, dainty color should be the key-note of the decorations. Yellow walls, of a plain paper, with white woodwork always look clean and cheerful and make a good background for plants or pictures.

Why not convert your tea-room into a gift shop by having interesting bits of bric-à-brac, which may be sold on commission? Another good idea would be to have a series of loan exhibitions on your walls—the artists to pay a nominal sum for the privilege of displaying their work, and a commission on any picture sold. One week you could have a collection of prints, another week water-colors.

As to tables, it is correct to have small round tables with small vases (plain glass vases are pretty) with only one or two flowers in each; all the tables should be alike. The linen must be above reproach; and quaint, but not necessarily expensive, china should be selected.

A special priced tea or luncheon will attract people; one tea-room in New York has a thirty-five cent tea at which one may have cinnamon toast or English muffins, tea or chocolate, and a choice of cake, of which each guest is allowed one piece. Another tea-room has a colored woman in a southern costume, bandanna and all, cooking waffles, which are served to the patrons of the establishment. A variety of sandwiches should be kept but it is well to specialize on one kind. In our "For the Hostess" department you will often find excellent ideas, also recipes for various kinds of sandwiches and salads, and there is a book called "Catering for Two," by James, in which you will find a good many novel ideas. This can be bought from Brentano for \$1.25.



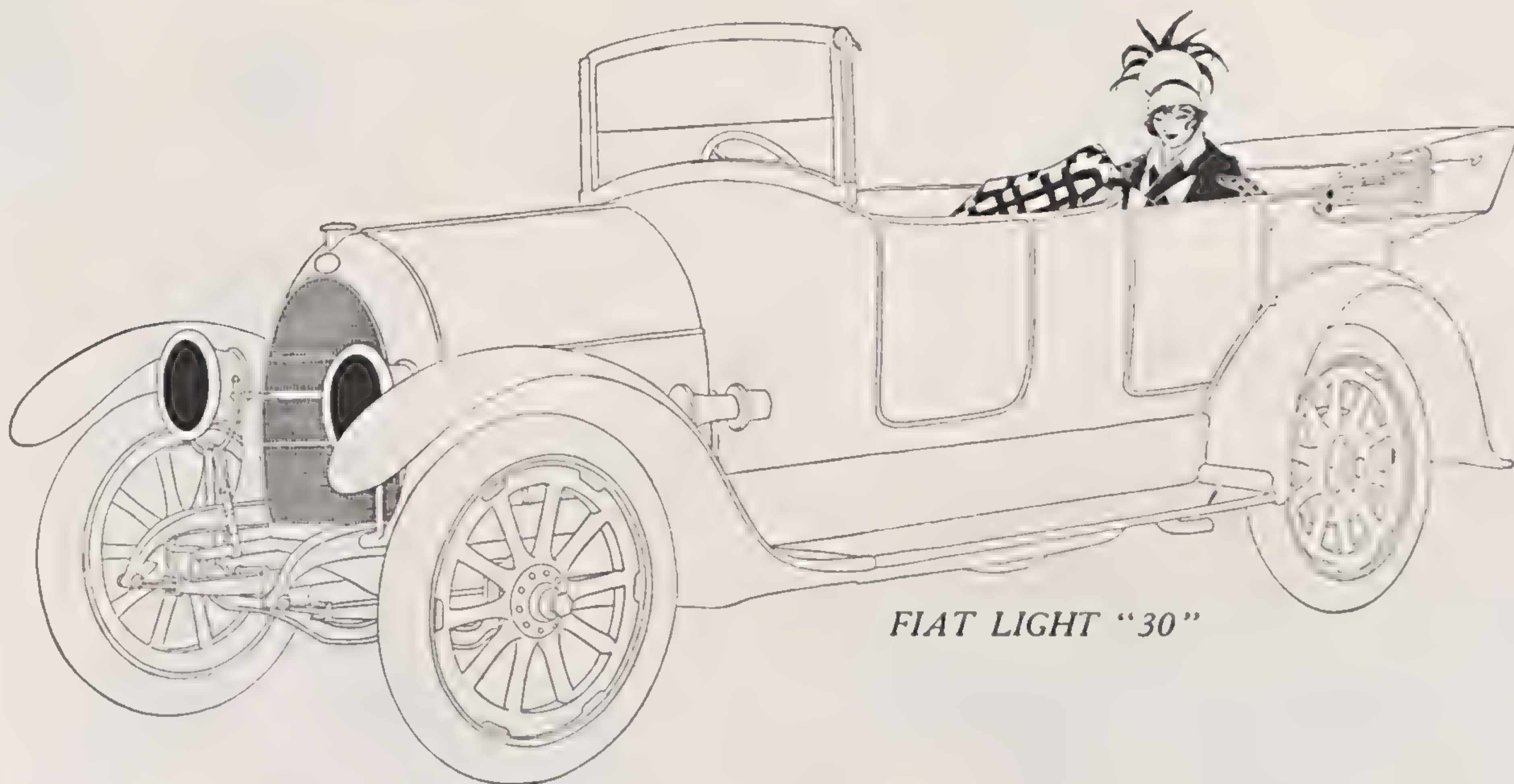


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*A Greek sandal plays up to the Parisienne's fondness for a short vamp shoe*

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article of a Paris shop possesses, can be duplicated from the sketches and descriptions which not even the ill fortunes of war have prevented America from receiving. Nothing is more practical or pretty for making the charming little *culottes* seen at the Galeries Lafayette and shown at the bottom of the page, than Milanese silk. They are open almost all the way up the sides and are cut in the new shape which so much resembles a pair of baby drawers. There is a seam up the front and one up the back, and there is an elastic at the waist to which the garment is gathered. Rather wide knife-plaited frills and big pink ribbon bows are the trimmings.

A PETTICOAT, CHARMINGLY FRIVOLOUS

Seen at the same shop which displayed the *culottes* just described was the novel and charming petticoat sketched on this page. It is of black Chantilly lace lined with white chiffon. The lining is closely fitted, and the lace is hung over it in un-



*Frivolity could scarce be more piquantly incarnated than in a petticoat of Chantilly lace over white chiffon*



*After years of exile, silk stockinet bobs up serenely and appears at its best in a Béchoff David semi-fitted blouse*

gathered, gored lengths. At the bottom is a four-inch ruffle of knife-plaited white chiffon with a half-inch band of black chiffon to edge it.

The Frenchwoman's fondness for a shoe with a short vamp is humorized in the little Greek sandal sketched at the top of the page.

The finishing touch of this slipper, which was seen at Phillips, is a little buckle composed of uncut jet surrounded by tiny rhinestones.

SILK STOCKINET BOBS UP

The silk stockinet so fashionable two-score years ago has bobbed up serenely from its exile, and the Parisienne is so pleased with it she even uses it in hats and handbags, as well as in an occasional charming blouse. The semifitted blouse illustrated is of white silk stockinet. It reaches to below the hips, and is buttoned all the way up the front and almost all the way up the long tight sleeves under half-inch buttons of black velvet. The collar, which merely buttons on to itself in front, is attached to the waist in the back. The blouse sketched is a Béchoff David model which was glimpsed at Christiane's.



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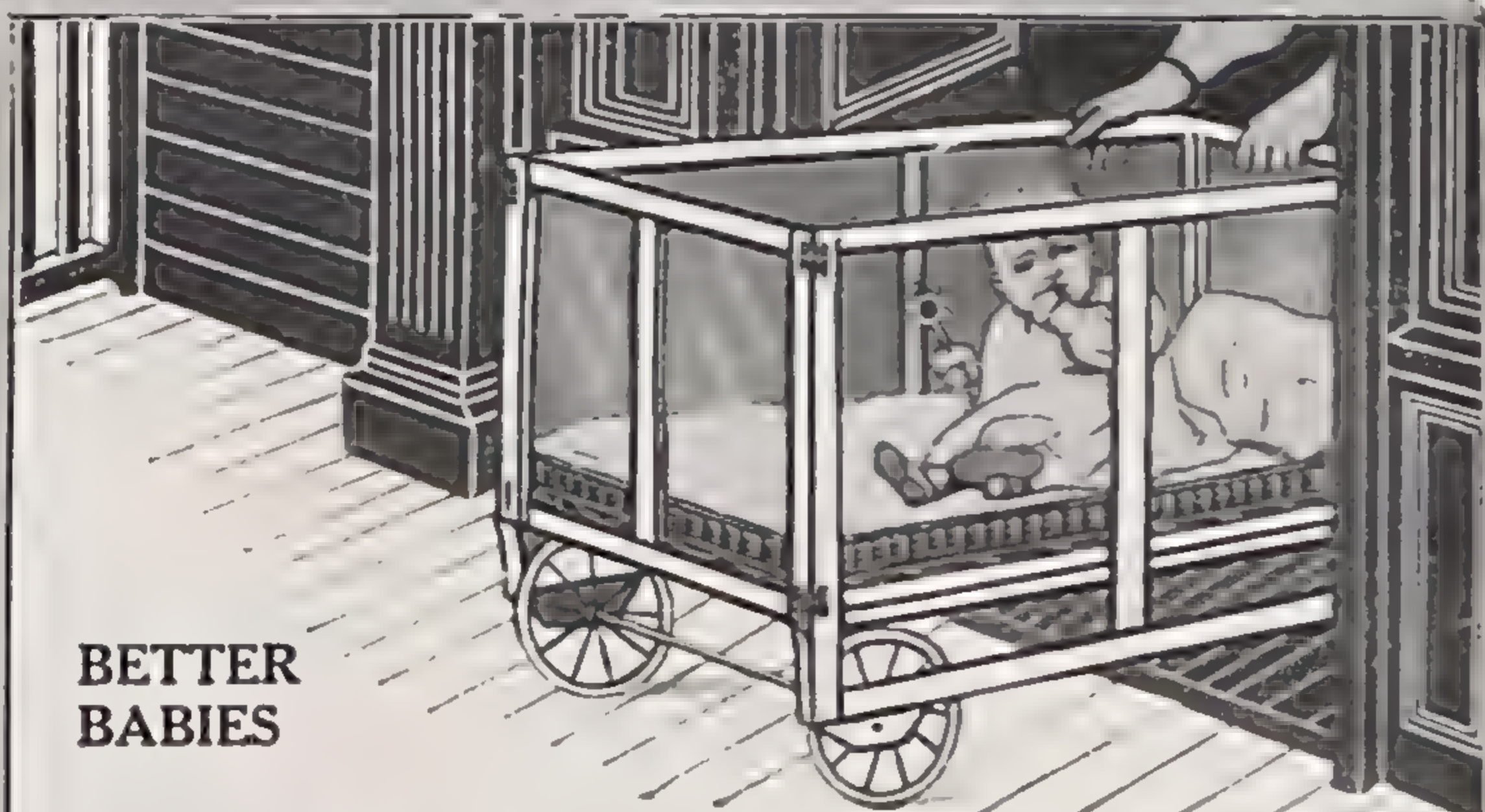
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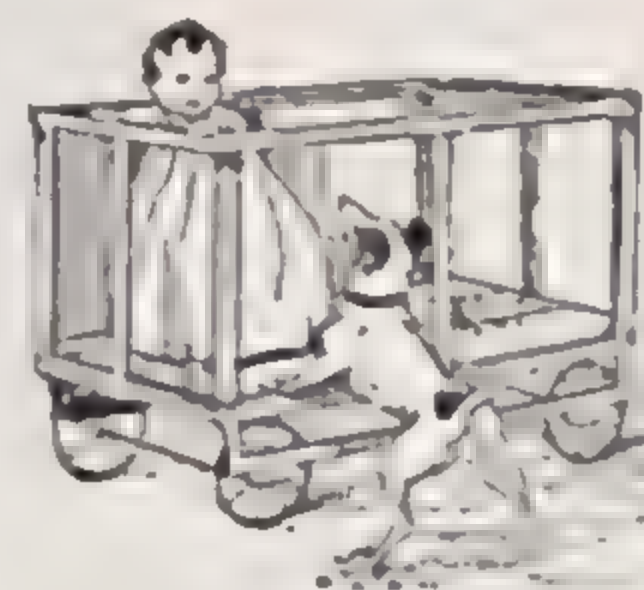
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## DIMMING THE HEADLIGHT

A recent improvement in automobile design is the elimination of the side-lamps and the substitution thereof of a dimming arrangement in the headlights or of smaller bulbs placed beside the large ones of the headlight, but out of focus with the reflector, so that the reflected rays will be small and diversified instead of brilliant and concentrated.

In the majority of cities, the use of some form of headlight dimmer is compulsory. An interesting form of this light dimmer and diffuser has been brought out as part of the regular equipment of the 1915 models of a low-priced car popular with women. This employs the usual form of dimmer, in which a small amount of current is sent through the lights by pressing a certain button on the dash, but the chief novelty lies in the kind of headlight glass employed. The upper half of the glass is corrugated and serves to further diffuse the glare that is often given even by the diffused headlights. The lower half of the glass is clear, which allows the focused rays of the bright or dimmed light to fall on the road. The bright rays are thus prevented from rising above the height of a man's shoulder, and while the road itself is clearly illuminated the approaching driver may look directly at the source of light without being blinded or confused.

## THE TEMPERATURE OF THE RADIATOR

Those who have toured through hilly sections will realize that continued grade climbing tends to overheat the motor and that at the end of a long intermediate- or low-gear run the water will be boiling furiously in the radiator. On the other hand, winter driving entails even more care, for if pure water in the radiator once reaches the freezing point, a damaged motor or cooling system is almost certain to result.

The ordinary car is not provided with means for determining the temperature of the water, and often there is no indication that the water has become too hot or too cold until the damage has been done. In order to bring conditions in the radiator within the observation of the driver, a

special form of thermometer has been devised to be screwed into the radiator cap. This is provided with a graduated dial over which a pointer swings as the temperature of the water changes. The position of this pointer can be seen easily by the driver, and as a club emblem or the name-plate of the car may be placed on the forward side of the dial, the device is ornamental as well as useful.

## A 1915 THERMOSTAT

Perhaps it is somewhat misleading to say that the driver can ordinarily obtain no warning of the temperature of the water in the radiator, for with the fore doors of modern design which close the driver's compartment on all sides, the heat from the motor is directly felt. This is unfortunate, because the warmer the day the more easily does the ordinary motor become heated and, to obtain the highest efficiency and greatest economy, a motor should be run at as nearly a constant temperature as possible.

In order that the conditions may be such that the motor will run at this nearly constant temperature, the cooling system of one of the 1915 models just announced is provided with a thermostat that operates on somewhat the same principle as those used in connection with the heating plants of the modern home. As the motor becomes hotter, the supply of cold water is automatically increased, and consequently the temperature of the driver's compartment on a warm day will scarcely be higher than that on a cold day, when the amount of water distributed to the motor is reduced to a minimum. The advantage of such a device, so far as the comfort of the occupants of the car is concerned, is all the more apparent when the apparatus is used on the fully enclosed car, such as a coupé.

## LOOKING BACKWARD

The advisability of employing some device that will enable the driver to view the road behind, and thus to see the approach of any other vehicle from the rear, has probably been impressed upon every owner who has had occasion to operate his car in a district of congested traffic. Some of these devices (which are in the form either of plain or of "reducing" mirrors) are attached to the dashboard at the left side of the car, while others are clamped to the wind-shield frame. With the modern form of cowl dash, however, the first mentioned position is not practicable, while the latter location sometimes interferes with the operation of the wind-shield. To overcome both of these difficulties, a type of mirror has been made that is to be attached to the top crown on the left-hand forward fender about opposite the radiator. This small convex mirror is mounted on an unobtrusive upright standard, and this position, well forward of his seat, enables the driver literally to "look backward" while he is looking forward.



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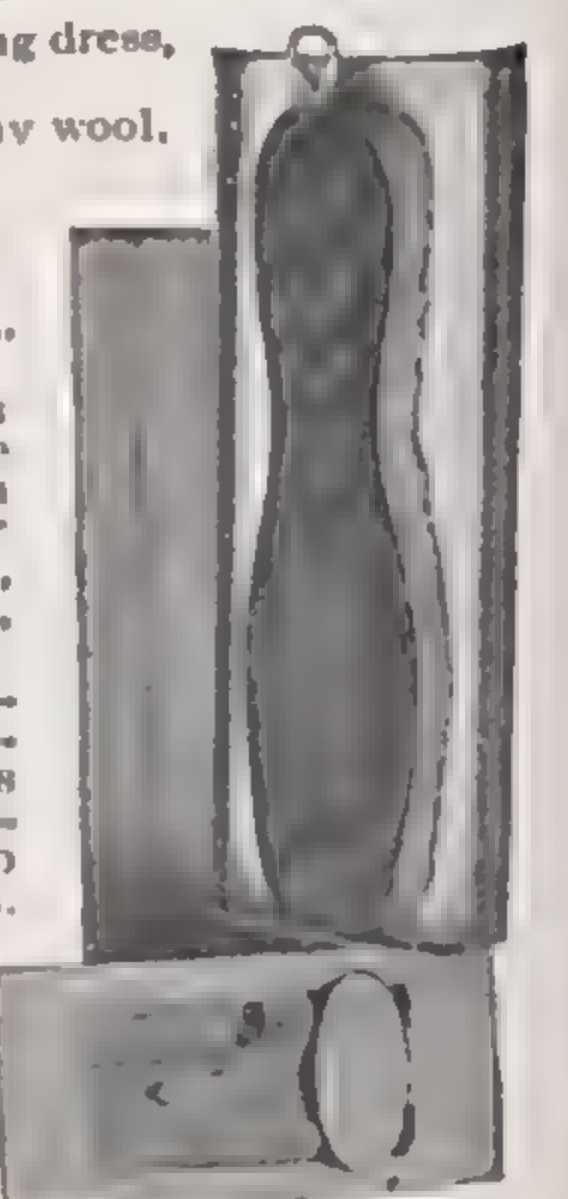
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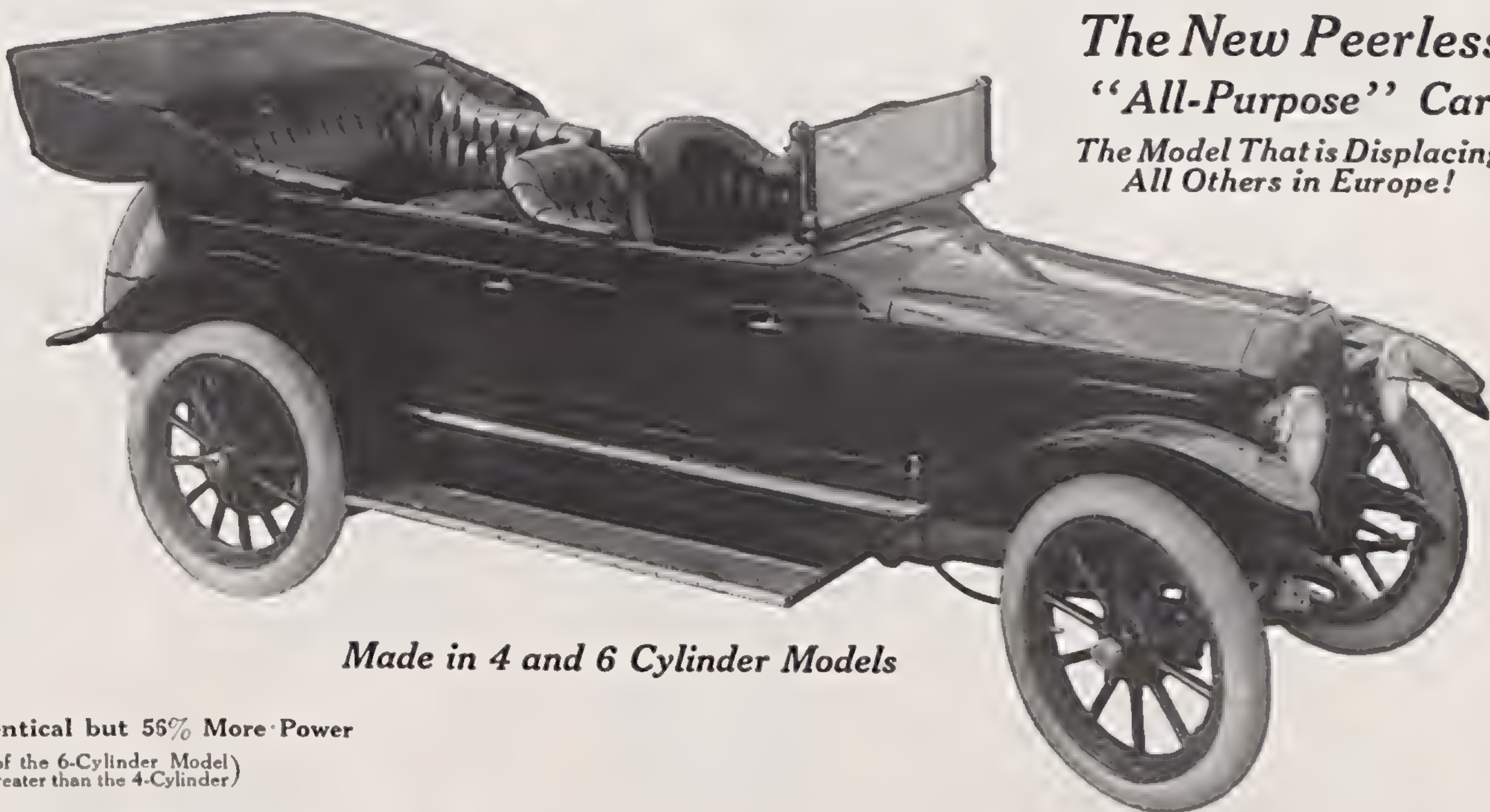
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## CLUB-HOUSES WITH THE CURTAINS UP

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the democratic persuasion; statesmen, judges, lawyers, city officials, and men of affairs foregather there. It is an excellent old club, and one to which any well-placed business man of its own faith may legitimately aspire. The Republican and Democratic clubs are both flourishing organizations with handsome homes; they are obviously political and have no special social significance.

### GAMBOING IN THE FIELD OF ART

In arts and letters, the Century Club is distinguished. One of its former presidents was a bishop of New York, and more celebrities have sat at the historic table in its dining-room than at any other dining-table in America. To observe the men at its gatherings is to see the most eminent of company. Once a month this club has a reception night, and the painters among its members hang their canvases in its gallery to study their grouping effects. After twelve o'clock of a New Year's eve, it is an unwritten law for the younger members of the Century to finish the night at the Players, in the quiet haunts of Gramercy Park.

The Players is a kind of Garrick. It numbers more writers and painters than actors, almost, and was founded and endowed by Edwin Booth. His bedroom is kept sacred just as he used it—his slippers, his dressing things, and a half empty cigar box on a stand by his bed, are all as he left them. Much clever shop is talked at its table d'hôte, and there are always many kind fellows to welcome guests there. Its members are ever hospitable, and a card to its "ladies' day" is a coveted compliment.

The actors have their very own club, and when they want to play by themselves they gather at the Lambs, around the corner from Sixth Avenue in Forty-Fourth Street. They dine early and sup late at the Lambs, and their annual gambols are famous. One leaves it with but one regret, that the evening can't be encored like the stories and jokes to which one has been listening.

The Lotos Club, now in Fifty-Seventh Street, was intended as a habitat for those artistically minded, and, true to its tradition, dines ceremoniously strangers celebrated for artistic achievement. Really, however, it has been a social club for years, rather easy of admission, and perfectly well appointed.

Sport in clubs is represented by the historic New York Yacht Club, also in the famous block of Forty-Fourth Street clubs, the fashionable Racquet and Tennis Club, and the New York Athletic Club. Dedicated originally to sports, as its courts for tennis, racquets, and squash imply, the Racquet and Tennis Club has long since taken upon itself also the attributes of a social club, where the members meet friends for dinner as well as for more strenuous diversion. Book lovers, on the contrary, muse in the charming small Grolier, and admire old bindings and old manuscripts; when they entertain they set out a heavenly punch the secret of which is guarded by word and deed.

From play to books, and from books to alma mater is a natural progress, and years ago the collegians built the University Club in Fifth Avenue and Fifty-Fourth Street. If a man is an alumnus of three years he can get anything he likes there, from a Turkish bath to a supper on the roof. The great hall, oak-grained dining-room, and lofty aca-



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demic library have the charm of cloistered walls and pleasant student days.

Harvard, Yale, Princeton, and Columbia each have handsome and commodious club-houses, where their sons meet and dine and room, if so minded, and chat in Greek and Latin with the easy freedom characteristic of all alumni of ten years' standing.

There is the Army and Navy Club, all soldiers and sailors. What stories, so modestly told, can't one hear there! There, also, are the Jewish clubs: the Harmony, the Progress, the Columbia. There is the Liederkrantz, the German musical club, which has great concerts. There is the Bar Association, where there is no bar at all but only a vast legal library, and portraits, and silent, reading lawyers; and there is the Engineers' club, where the members draw, make, and build bridges in their after-dinner naps.

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## WHAT THEY READ

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Loyal Russian and lover of Paris, the count was, nevertheless, no friend to the Franco-Russian entente, and it is curious, in view of the conflict now raging, to find him referring to England as an enemy of Russia. His utterances while the whisper of the vast world-war were as yet unheard may have some importance in helping neutral nations to fix the blame for the precipitation of that conflict. Certainly, in the early days of the Franco-Russian entente, Count Vassili seems far from expecting that the future would see the present alliance of Europe against the Teutonic powers.

Count Vassili's impressions of literary men are full of interest, and, as usual, charitable, and it must be said that he pictures literary life as of better tone than social or official life. He knew all the men worth while in the literary circles of Paris for nearly half a century, and he rarely permits himself a word of sarcasm at their expense, though his account of the mutual admiration society that he fell upon when he went to luncheon with Rodin at the house of Octave Mirabeau is deliciously cutting. He pays generous tribute to the dignity displayed by the Dreyfus family when Captain Dreyfus obtained tardy justice of his country, thinks Casimir Périer a stronger man than most of us have believed him, and agrees with the general judgment of Boulanger. Parisian society he thinks less good-mannered than formerly and more than ever money-mad. M. Briand he apparently hopes will one day prove the savior of France from the violence of current radicalism. There are no dull pages in this fascinating book. (New York: Funk & Wagnalls Company. \$3.75 net.)

**THE SECRET OF LOUIS PHILIPPE**, The Suppressed Memoirs of Maria Stella, the Rightful Heir, by Herself, tells for the world of to-day the astounding story that the Orleans family is believed to have been instrumental in suppressing when it originally appeared. Basest of all base princes, that Duke of Orleans who took the name of

Philip Égalité, rode triumphant for a time the whirlwind of the great French Revolution, voted for the beheading of his hapless cousin, Louis XVI, and eventually went himself, most deservedly, to the guillotine, sank almost to his lowest, if the evidence of this book is to be trusted, by deliberately abandoning his own infant daughter that he might palm off a changeling as his male heir. That changeling became, by the revolution of July, 1830, Louis Philippe, the "citizen king" of France. The revolution of 1848 drove him from the throne, but there is still an Orleanist pretender to the French throne. If the very impressive evidence of his astonishing book is to be trusted, France for nearly twenty years acknowledged as her king the son of Lorenzo Chiappini, an Italian jailer.

The little daughter of Égalité was brought up as Chiappini's child, and forced at thirteen years of age to marry an eccentric English nobleman. At his death, Chiappini left a paper declaring that the girl was not his child, but failing to indicate her parentage. She gave her life to endeavoring to prove that she was an Orleanist princess, and the matter prefacing her story in this volume shows that the secret archives of the Vatican lend strong support to her claim. The story of Maria Stella's life is the wildest of romances, sufficiently remarkable, indeed, without the amazing incident of her claim to royal birth. This eager and determined woman is not always interesting, however, in presenting her claim, and there are parts of her documentary evidence that would be none the worse for considerable condensation. The illustrations are of much interest, some of them of much beauty. Stella Maria is a romantic figure in the frontispiece, while the handsome profile-bust is significant as proving her resemblance to the younger branch of the Bourbons. Certainly, it shows a far more aristocratic head than that which appears in the portrait of the burly citizen king. (New York: McBride, Nast & Company, \$2.75 net.)

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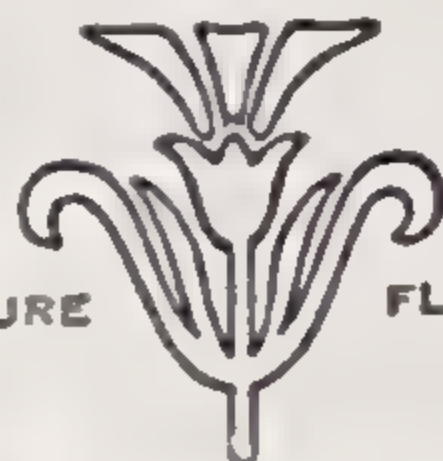
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### ADDITIONS TO THE FICTION SHELVES

**PERCH OF THE DEVIL**, by GERTRUDE ATHERTON, is a brave and in some respects brilliant attempt to reproduce the social and, to some extent, the business life of Butte, the chief city of Montana. The leading characters of the story are two young married couples, the wife in one case being originally an extremely crude, coarse, shallow girl, the daughter of a washerwoman, and herself the apprentice of a dressmaker. Her husband is an idealistic young man, far above his own family and further above his wife, in ideals, education, and character. The other couple are a clever and fairly educated man and a woman of rare mind and unusual education, with eastern traditions and gentle breeding.

Beside these couples, there are many other characters, among them an exiled Bostonian, head of the local high school, a professor in the Montana school of mines, a manicurist with the outlook and speech of her profession, gangs of rival miners, and the like. Ida, the crude young married woman, is shown as the leader of local society in the making, while her mentor, the other young married woman, wearied of a life too narrow for her culture and powers, turns naturally enough to love. Mrs. Atherton, as usual, has made a readable story, and written it with vigor, but it can hardly be said that her characters have the ring of truth. The Bostonian, especially, is a ridiculous caricature, while most of her educated Buttites (or must one say Butties?) speak with a precision, and phi-

losophize with an acumen, worthy of the stiffest university set. (New York: Frederick A. Stokes Company. \$1.35 net.)

### BOOKS RECEIVED

"Dark Hollow," by Anna Katharine Green; a story of crime by the author of "The Leavenworth Case." (New York: Dodd, Mead & Company. \$1.35 net.)

"The Intriguers," by Harold Bindloss; a story of Canada and England. (New York: Frederick A. Stokes Company. \$1.30 net.)

"Sunshine Jane," by Anne Warner; a serio-comic novelette teaching a variant of Christian Science. (Boston: Little, Brown & Company. \$1 net.)

"The New Dawn," by Agnes C. Laut; a story of a captain of industry and his rise from humble place. (New York: Moffat, Yard & Company. \$1.35 net.)

"The Vanished Messenger," by E. Phillips Oppenheim; a novel dealing with an attempt of ambitious nations to separate Great Britain from her colonies. (Boston: Little, Brown & Company. \$1.30 net.)

"Europe from a Motor Car," by Russell Richardson; a volume with map and many illustrations showing Americans how to visit by motor a good many places that most of us, for the time being, are glad to avoid. (New York: Rand McNally & Company. \$1.50.)

"What Men Live By," a volume of essays by Richard C. Cabot, M. D., an eminent physician of Boston, (Boston and New York: Houghton Mifflin Company. \$1.50 net.)



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A PARIS offering to vanity, created since war was declared, is illustrated on this page. The box, prettily striped and figured in red, blue, and gold, contains rouge of three kinds—for the nails, the lips, and the cheeks. The two first are liquid and bottled, and in the round box is a pink powder delightfully scented. Many women lose all sense of restraint in the matter of rouge, and apply the color in red spots which resemble the make-up of a clown. This powder obviates that difficulty. As shown here, a screen divides the powder from the eider-down puff, and thus only a little percolates to the puff at a time. This means economy in powder and economy in "blushes." This box costs 75 cents.

### THE PICTORIAL PATCH

A Paris sketch representing a woman with an odd beauty spot on her face inspired the firm which is the American agent for the box mentioned above, to make similar spots. Wee rabbits, fishes, butterflies, lizards, snakes, turtles, mice, and birds make up a sable menagerie of three dozen which find shelter in a box priced at 35 cents. Of course, these spots are not worn in the street by the smart woman, but she finds use for them as a part of the fancy dress in which she likes to deck herself. That they have a charm, when placed in just the right spot on the face or shoulder, is undoubted. Patches of velvet are to be had, also,—round, square, or tiny butterflies in black, brown, violet, and green.

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A resolution which is repeated as often as autumn comes, is this very firm determination: "Now that I am back to town feeling fit, I will stay fit." But rarely, indeed, is this resolution kept. In summer every one is more or less athletic, but winter pleasures take other forms and there never seems time for systematic exercise; yet such exercise is doubly needed.

### EXERCISING TO HEALTH

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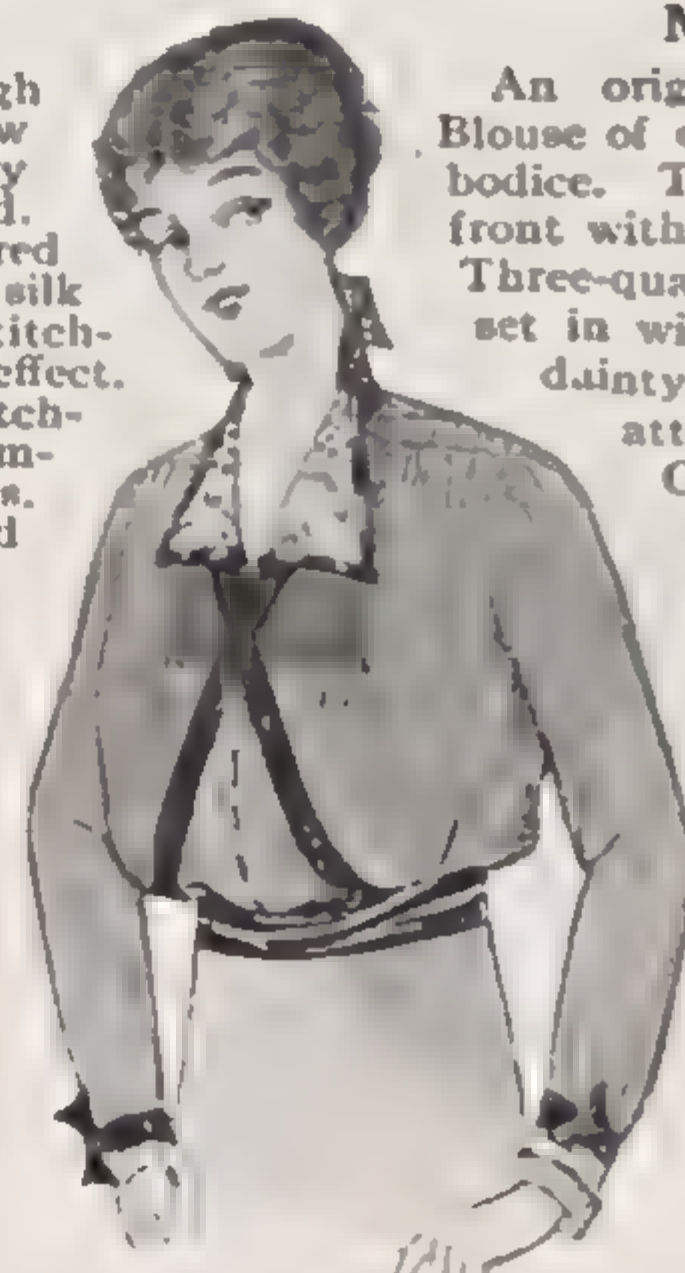
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There is no consistency of structure in this play. The first act is laboriously expository; the second act is, in several passages, both comic and dramatic; and the third act is allowed to lapse into a mood of sentimental farce. The dialogue, instead of being easy and colloquial, is artificial and rhetorical. The pattern is so obvious that the audience anticipates everything that is to be said, and is, therefore, disappointed all the more when everything is said elaborately instead of naturally. "The Elder Son" might be dismissed as irredeemably bad, were it not for the fact that it conveys a latent suggestion that a fine artist might have developed a good comedy out of the theme which it sets forth.

masquerading; but the deepening of his love for the heroine requires him ultimately to confess to her father that he is only an impostor. He goes away, resolving to establish himself in life upon his own initiative, and agreeing to present himself ultimately to the heroine in his customary habit as a tramp.

The last act is set in a rich residence at Bar Harbor, the summer home of the father of the heroine. Three months have elapsed, and the hero has made his fortune. He appears in his old raiment as a vagabond; but just as the audience is ready to enjoy the highly dramatic scene in which the heroine shall recognize him in his rags, and declare her love for him in spite of all disguises, the authors dodge the issue by allowing the hero to change to dinner clothes before he meets the heroine. Here we have an instance of the omission of a *scène à faire* which has seriously diminished the entertainment of a comedy.

We have been prepared for a fine scene which we are not permitted to enjoy. The result is disappointment,—a disappointment which is only partially ameliorated by the zest and tang of the performance of Mr. Fairbanks.

#### "WHAT IS LOVE?"

THE main thing to be said of "What Is Love?" by Mr. George Scarborough, is that it would certainly have been a fine comedy if it had been written by the late Clyde Fitch, and that it would probably have been a fine comedy if it had been written by Mr. Thompson Buchanan. In this case, a delicate theme fell into the hands of a playwright apparently incapable of delicacy.

The heroine is very young. She loves, and is loved by, a young man who has gone to Germany to study medicine; but when he neglects to write the sort of letters she has read about in story-books, she decides that he loves her no longer, and, in a mood of pique, engages herself to marry an unromantic and matter-of-fact young lawyer. A week or two before the date that has been announced for her wedding, her true lover reappears. He insists that she belongs to him; and his romantic assault upon her sensibilities ultimately overcomes the more conventional besiegement of his rival.

The trouble with this comedy is that it is crudely constructed and written without taste. There is scarcely a scene in the play that is not good potentially; and there is scarcely a scene that might not have been improved by a greater deftness of devising or a finer tact in dialogue. Mr. Scarborough is an enterprising and an energetic author; but his work still lacks the finish of accomplished art. He has not yet written a good play; but in the present piece, he has written a comedy that might have been, and ought to have been, good. He seems now to be sailing near the haven; and ultimately he may bring his ship to land.

#### "HE COMES UP SMILING"

"HE COMES UP SMILING" is a very entertaining farce; or, at least, it is made to seem so by the smiling affability of Mr. Douglas Fairbanks. When a piece that has merely been designed to please a tired-minded public succeeds emphatically in its object, it may seem hypercritical to point out flaws in its construction; but the fact remains that this dramatization by Byron Ongle and Emil Nyitray of Charles Sherman's novel of the same name might have been made still more entertaining if the authors had done their work with a more finished art.

The hero, pleasantly played by Mr. Fairbanks, is a tramp; but a tramp of unusual attainments. One day, when he is swimming in a roadside pool, his clothes are stolen, and he is thereby forced to filch the outfit of a noted millionaire who happens to be bathing in the same waters. Mistaken for the millionaire, he is picked up by a touring motor-car which contains a very rich Wall Street operator and his daughter, with whom the hero, as the audience expects, proceeds to fall in love.

The trouble with the first act of this farce is that no explanation is afforded to the audience of the reasons why so educated a person as the hero should happen to be a tramp. This necessary item of exposition is set forth in the second act; but it comes too late to render plausibility to the preceding section of the narrative.

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**Coe.**—On September 19, in New London, Connecticut, Mary E. Coe, widow of the late Capt. E. P. Coe, and mother of Dr. Henry Clark Coe.

**Crain.**—On September 23, at her residence, Agnes B. Crain, wife of Judge Thomas C. T. Crain.

**Dwight.**—On September 17, at Tadousac, Province of Quebec, Julia Lawrence Dwight, widow of the late Jonathan Dwight.

**Hall.**—On September 17, at Watkins, New York, Edward J. Hall.

**Jennings.**—On September 22, at his home in Merrick, Long Island, Philander Reeves Jennings.

**Judson.**—On September 20, at her residence, Antoinette Judson, widow of the late Edward Judson, and mother of Rev. Edward Judson.

**Parker.**—On September 19, at the summer home of her daughter, Mrs. James A. Miles, in Milford, Connecticut, Harriet Stratton Parker, mother of ex-Judge Alton B. Parker.

**Spears.**—On September 17, at his residence, Harry D. Spears.

**Waters.**—On September 20, in the Presbyterian Hospital, Jessica Howard Waters, wife of Dr. Bertram H. Waters.

**Weld.**—On September 21, at her residence, Anna J. Weld, widow of the late John Gardner Weld of Boston.

**Woodbury.**—On September 23, at his summer home in South Hampton, Long Island, Dr. John McGaw Woodbury.

### BALTIMORE

**Gans.**—On September 21, Edgar H. Gans.

### BUFFALO

**Wilhelm.**—On September 23, at the Hotel Belmont, New York, Edward Wilhelm.

## Engaged

### NEW YORK

**Dodd-Sullivan.**—Miss Marjorie Dodd, daughter of Mrs. Edward Menocal, to Mr. Leonard Sullivan, son of the late Arthur T. Sullivan, and nephew of the Right Reverend William A. Leonard, Bishop of Ohio.

**Ficken-Prescott.**—Miss Margery Ficken, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Edwards Ficken, to Mr. William B. Prescott, son of Mrs. Linzee Prescott of Boston.

**Robinson-Audibert.**—Miss Nelda Wright Robinson, daughter of Mr. William Moore Robinson, to Mr. Frank Audibert, son of Mr. Charles Audibert.

### ATLANTA

**High-Goodrum.**—Miss Elizabeth High, daughter of Mrs. Joseph Madison High, to Mr. James Goodrum, Jr.

### CHICAGO

**Brackenridge-Winston.**—Miss Marcia Brackenridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Brackenridge of Richmond Hill, Long Island, to Mr. Frederick Hampden Winston, son of Mrs. Frederick Seymour Winston.

**Farwell-Foster.**—Miss Marion Farwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Farwell, to Mr. Reginald Foster of Boston.

**Vail-Follansbee.**—Miss Cecile Vail, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sherman Vail,

to Mr. Merrell Follansbee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Follansbee.

### PHILADELPHIA

**Fiske-Jeffords.**—Miss Sarah Dobson Fiske, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis S. Fiske, to Mr. Walter M. Jeffords, son of Mrs. John E. Jeffords.

### SAINT LOUIS

**Currier-Stickney.**—Miss Sally Currier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilbur Currier of Boston, to Mr. William Arthur Stickney, son of Mrs. William A. Stickney.

### SAN FRANCISCO

**Cunningham-Donohoe.**—Miss Evelyn Cunningham, daughter of Mrs. James Athearn Folger, to Mr. Joseph A. Donohoe, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Donohoe.

**Henshaw-Keeney.**—Miss Florence Henshaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Griffith Henshaw, to Mr. Charles M. Keeney, son of Dr. and Mrs. James W. Keeney.

## Weddings

### NEW YORK

**Andrews-Borup.**—On October 7, in Trinity Church, at Ossining, Mr. Roy Chapman Andrews and Miss Yvette Borup, daughter of Major Henry Borup, U. S. A.

**Boardman-Whitehouse.**—On October 8, in Grace Church, Brooklyn Heights, Mr. Kenneth Boardman, son of Mrs. Lansdale Boardman, and Miss Julia Christina Whitehouse, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Meredith Whitehouse.

**Bottomley-Thomas.**—On September 20, in St. Mark's Church, Philadelphia, Mr. John F. Bottomley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bottomley, and Miss Dorothy Raymond Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eversley Haines Thomas.

**Burlingham-Tiffany.**—On September 24, in the Episcopal Church at Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island, Dr. Robert Burlingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Burlingham, and Miss Dorothy Trimble Tiffany, daughter of Mr. Louis C. Tiffany.

**Dearborn-Bowers.**—On October 1, at Oyster Bay, Long Island, Mr. Henry Dearborn and Miss Margaret D. Bowers, daughter of Mrs. John A. Weekes.

**Ely-Burr.**—On October 17, at Lawrence, Long Island, Mr. Alfred H. Ely, Jr., and Miss Frances Burr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Burr.

**Emmet-Hepburn.**—On October 17, at the summer home of the bride's parents in Ridgefield, Connecticut, Lieutenant Robert R. M. Emmet, U. S. N., son of Colonel and Mrs. Robert T. Emmet, and Miss Beulah Eaton Hepburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Barton Hepburn.

**Everett-Lesher.**—On October 10, in the Presbyterian Church at Rye, New York, Mr. Francis Dewey Everett, son of Dr. Oliver Hurd Everett of Worcester, Massachusetts, and Miss Marion Alice Lesher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lawrence Lesher.

**Hinckley-Hamersley.**—On October 22, in Grace Church, Mr. Samuel Neilson Hinckley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Parker Hinckley, and Miss Catherine Livingston Hamersley, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Hooker Hamersley.

**Millett-Glover.**—On October 31, at the home of the bride's mother, in Fairfield, Connecticut, Mr. Gardner Willard Millett, son of Mrs. Daniel C. Millett of the state of Washington, and Miss Harriet Coleman Glover, daughter of Mrs. Henry Sheaff Glover.

**Powers-Hoyle.**—On September 30, in the Huguenot Memorial Church at Pelham Manor, Mr. Lansing Woodruff Powers, son of Mrs. Walter H. Powers, and Miss Marion Winston Hoyle, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Frank Jerome Hoyle.

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## S O C I E T Y

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**Wylie-Christian.**—On September 23, at the summer residence of the bride's parents in Monmouth Beach, New Jersey, Mr. Kenneth McNeal Wylie, son of Mrs. George Sanford Wylie, and Miss Margaret Christian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Christian.

### BALTIMORE

**Miller-Jenkins.**—On October 8, Mr. Paul H. Miller, son of Mrs. Edgar C. Miller, and Miss Bertha Lee Jenkins, daughter of Mrs. J. Stricker Jenkins.

### BOSTON

**Howland-Crocker.**—On September 26, in St. Gabriel's Church, at Marion, Massachusetts, Mr. Edward Morris Howland, son of Mrs. William S. Howland, and Miss Eleanor Crocker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George U. Crocker.

### BUFFALO

**Mann-Ferris.**—On September 19, in St. Peter's Church, Westchester, New York, Mr. Alan Newhall Mann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Mann, and Miss Margaret Oakley Ferris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ferris, of Westchester, New York.

### CINCINNATI

**Bayless-Shipley.**—On September 26, Mr. Herman Bayless and Miss Alfreda Shipley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Shipley.

### PITTSBURGH

**Mackie-McGinley.**—On October 10, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Norman Story Mackie and Miss Marion McGinley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. McGinley.

### SAN FRANCISCO

**Coogan-Emmons.**—On October 7, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. Albert Coogan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy C. Coogan, and Miss Marjorie Emmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Wellington Emmons.

### WASHINGTON

**Taft-Bowers.**—On October 17, in St. John's Church, Mr. Robert Taft, son of former President and Mrs. William Howard Taft, and Miss Martha Bowers, daughter of the late Solicitor-general and Mrs. Lloyd W. Bowers.

## Weddings to Come

### NEW YORK

**Young-Hine.**—On November 10, in St. Thomas's Church, Miss Sibyl E. Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Young, to Mr. Lyman N. Hine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis L. Hine.

### ATLANTA

**Dargan-Lowndes.**—On November 20, in All Saints' Church, Miss Helen Dargan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dargan, to Mr. Dozier Lowndes, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Steel Lowndes.

### AUGUSTA

**Wright-Hillman.**—On November 25, in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Miss Marguerite Cabell Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boykin Wright, to Mr. James Frazer Hillman of Pittsburg.

### SAINT LOUIS

**Bakewell-Pinney.**—On December 25, Miss Nancy McNair Bakewell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bakewell, to Mr. George M. Pinney, Jr., of Staten Island.

**Jones-Bridge.**—On November 9, Miss Mildred Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorraine F. Jones, to Mr. Lawrence D. Bridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hudson E. Bridge.

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**Soirée Artistique.**—November 9 and 10, at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel, under the auspices of the Society of Beaux Arts Architects, given for the benefit of the families of the painters, sculptors, and architects in France who by reason of the war have been left destitute.

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**Two One-Act Plays,** "Gruesome Grange," and "What Do You Know About That," at the Lyceum Theatre, November 13, in the afternoon; for the benefit of the British Red Cross, under the auspices of the British Imperial Club.

## THE THEN AND NOW OF DEAUVILLE

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for transports were constantly coming in filled with Tommy Atkinses. England herself did not know where she was sending her boys, but Deauville knew by their actual presence. They were landed at Havre in regiments and filled that ancient seaport town; the roads were patrolled by mounted lancers; the motor cyclists came out into the villages to bring news; nearer and nearer came the outposts; and, finally, the mitrail-leuses appeared and there came the rumor that the uhlans were nearing the coast.

### WITH BEDS AT A PREMIUM

The final days of August brought this crisis quite too near Deauville for comfort. It was on a Sunday that the whisper of the proximity of the Germans to the coast roads grew into a cry, and refugees poured into Deauville and Trouville so fast that it was said the wounded men were put in one side of the great hotels and the frightened women in another. These two towns, like Havre, were alarmed at the quantities of people for whom they were asked to provide at a day's notice. In Havre, the English soldiers gave up their mattresses and blankets to the women who could not

find shelter, and every tiny nook that had a cooking stove was requisitioned as a place in which to eat. Not only were all the beds taken in the hotels, but women and children slept in the corridors, in the ballrooms, and in the offices. Many Americans who were waiting to secure passage mistook, like many others, the twenty-one guns fired in honor of the coming of the U. S. S. *Tennessee* into the harbor for the beginning of hostilities between the Germans and the Allies, and wondered if the Normandy coast was to be their winter home.

### "THE FRONT" COMES TO DEAUVILLE

A newspaper reporter who was asked if he were going to the front answered that he thought it would be unnecessary, as the front was coming to him. The Belgians who were cut off at Namur arrived in dust-covered motors, and train loads of wounded soldiers filled up all the available space so lately given over to gay and frivolous purposes. Work on the trenches proceeded along the road to Havre, and travelers were held up by armed sentries every time they attempted to go up or down the coast; Deauville realized what it meant to be in a state of siege.



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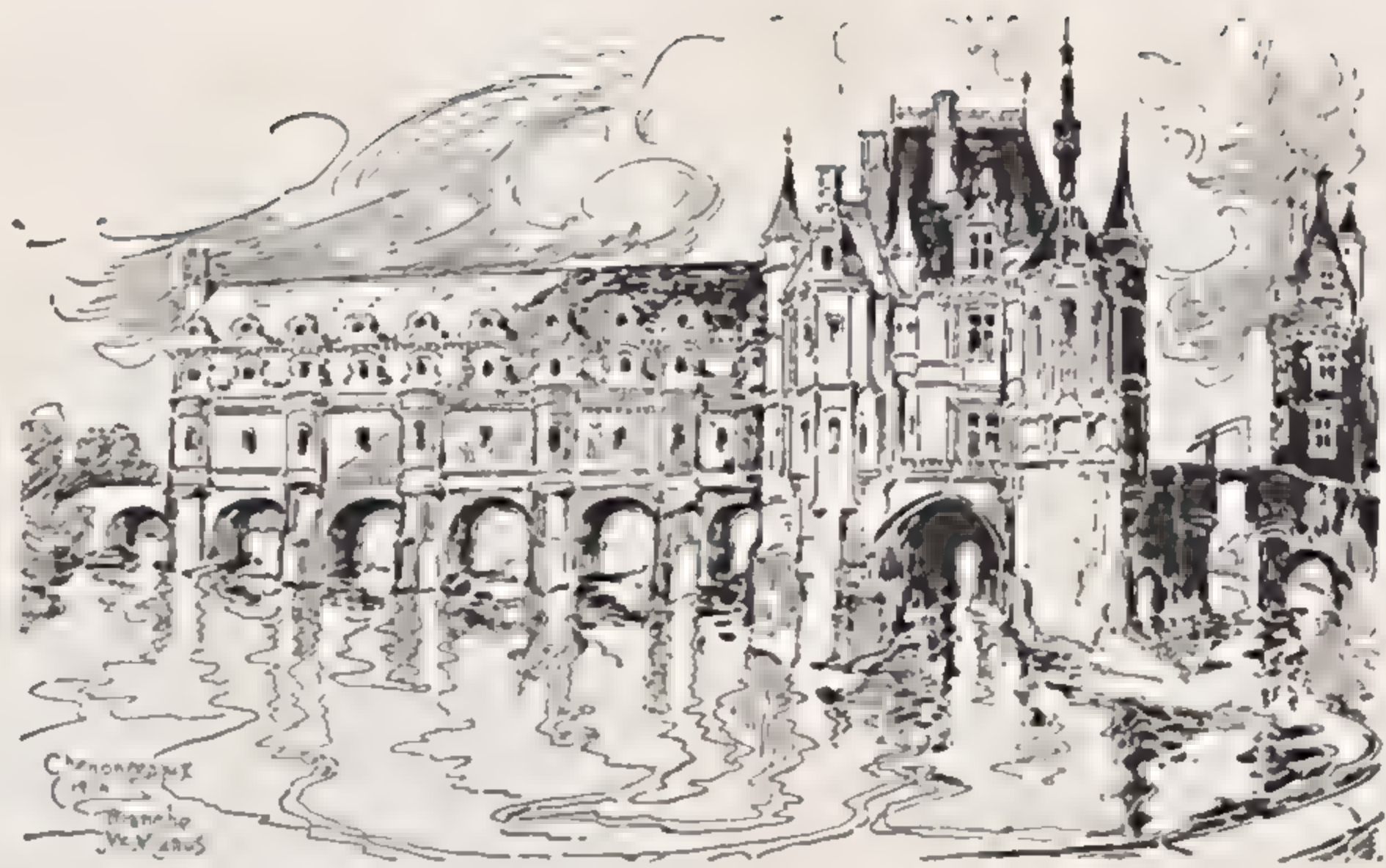
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## A RED CROSS CHÂTEAU

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Later, Henry II, the son of François Premier, enlarged the Château and into the decorations three entwined crescents and the double monogram "H. D." were woven in compliment to the fair Diane de Poitiers. It was at Chenonceaux that the life-long rivalry between Catherine de Medici, the intriguing queen, and her beautiful rival, Diane de Poitiers, was played through to a bitter finish in which the unscrupulous and vindictive queen won, banished the fallen favorite, and confiscated Chenonceaux for her own particular country palace.

It was here that the queen lived most of the time she held France in her hands. Surrounded by a celebrated band of *demoiselles d'honneur*, a bevy of forty lovely, accomplished ladies of the *haute noblesse*, who acted as a body-guard to her, the somber woman used her friends as tools to further her ambitious schemes. A gay and brilliant group they were, indeed, and surrounded each with her own following of admirers and courtiers. Many gallantries, adventures, loves, hatreds, and knight errandries found in the charming Chenonceaux an appropriate setting.

### FÊTE NIGHTS ON THE CHER

Life under Queen Catherine's régime at Chenonceaux was a series of fêtes, of gorgeous pageants, and of costly entertainments. Here were devised magnificent and extravagant water fêtes to which the peculiar situation of the château lent itself with a grace which rivaled the loveliest Venetian spectacles. On fête nights the river banks were festooned with chains of gold and silver swinging lamps, and lamps were hung also about the gardens where the light filtered softly through iridescent globes. An army of lackeys in Catherine's colors, black and gold, holding aloft flaming torches, lined the great avenues and were grouped upon the drawbridge. The fountains sprayed perfumed waters, oriental musicians stationed in bosky nooks filled the air with melody from strange twanging instruments, and Nubian and Moorish pages, brilliant as tropical paroquets, moved about among the guests distributing flowers and fruits from huge golden salvers.

On the river itself were gathered flotillas of small craft, among them numberless gondolas ablaze with lights. Canopied with fringed, silken draperies, they floated like many-hued pennants far out over the water, filled with gay maskers in costumes sparkling with jewels, their identity but thinly disguised under the small eye mask that Catherine was responsible for having introduced from Italy. To the accompaniment of the

tinkling of guitars and mandolins, of song and laughter and jests, the boats drifted languorously in and out between the springing arches that support the massive walls of Chenonceaux above the stream, while overhead, in the great gallery that spans the river, a swarm of servitors served, on silver and gold plate, a grand banquet of peacocks decked in jeweled chains, wild boars with gilded tusks, and delicate pâtés of the tongues of nightingales.

### THE INTELLECTUAL RÉGIME

It was the Château de Chenonceaux which saw the rise, the culmination, and the finish of the wildest and most brilliant of the old court life of France; the leveling days of the French Revolution soon transformed it from a royal residence into a bourgeois mansion. It was bought from the state by the farmer-general Dupin, an ancestor of the novelist George Sand, and then it passed into its intellectual period and became a center for the literary celebrities of the eighteenth century. Voltaire, Rousseau, Buffon, and other progenitors of modern philosophies, met there in congenial house-parties and exchanged philosophy and witticisms.

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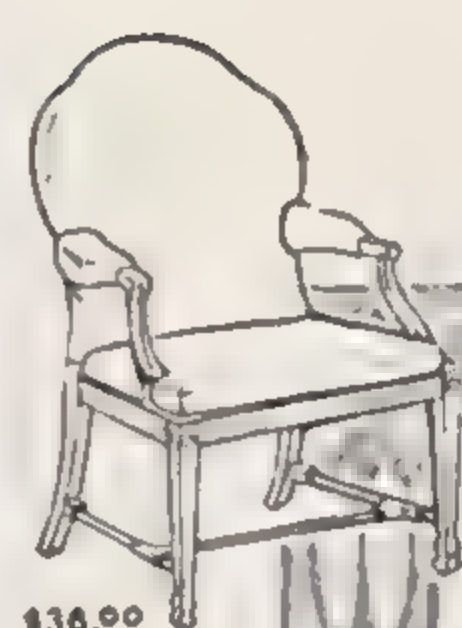
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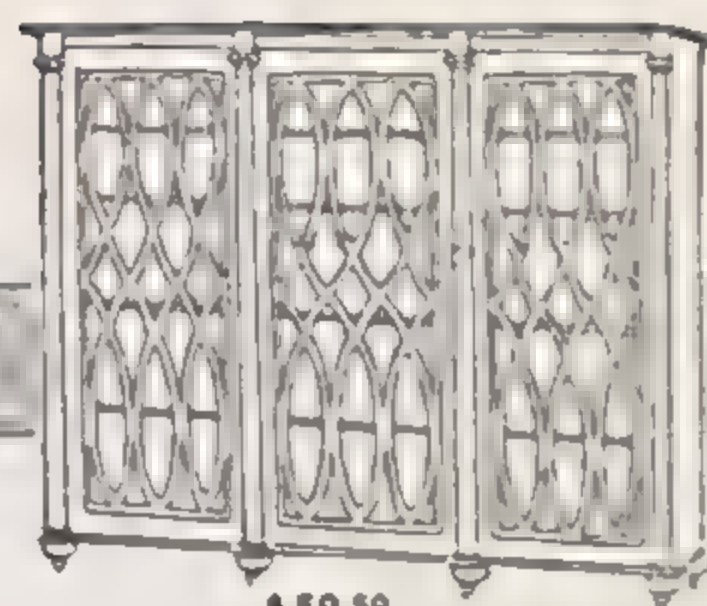
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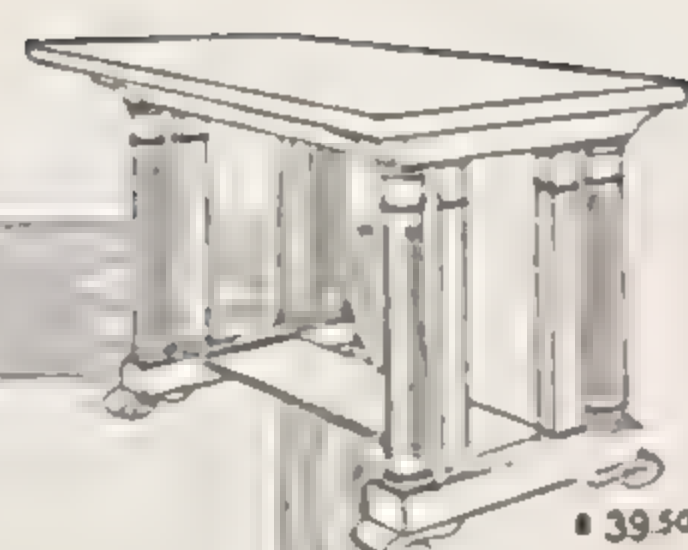
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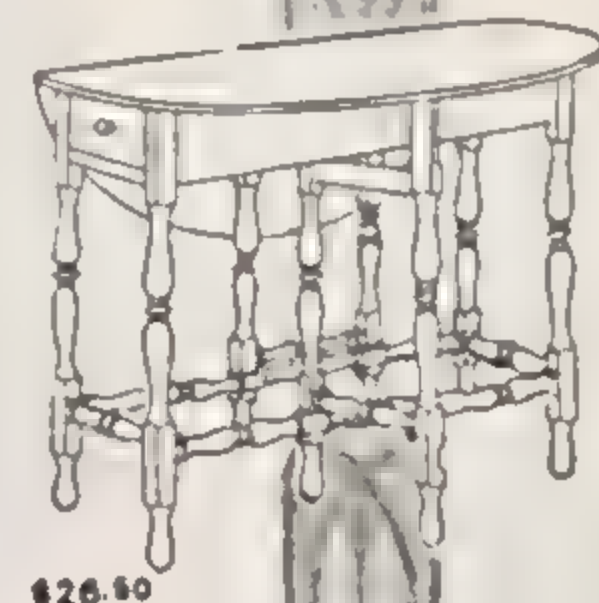
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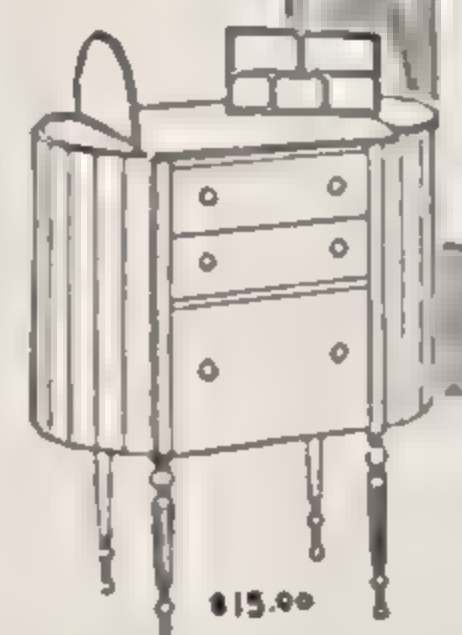
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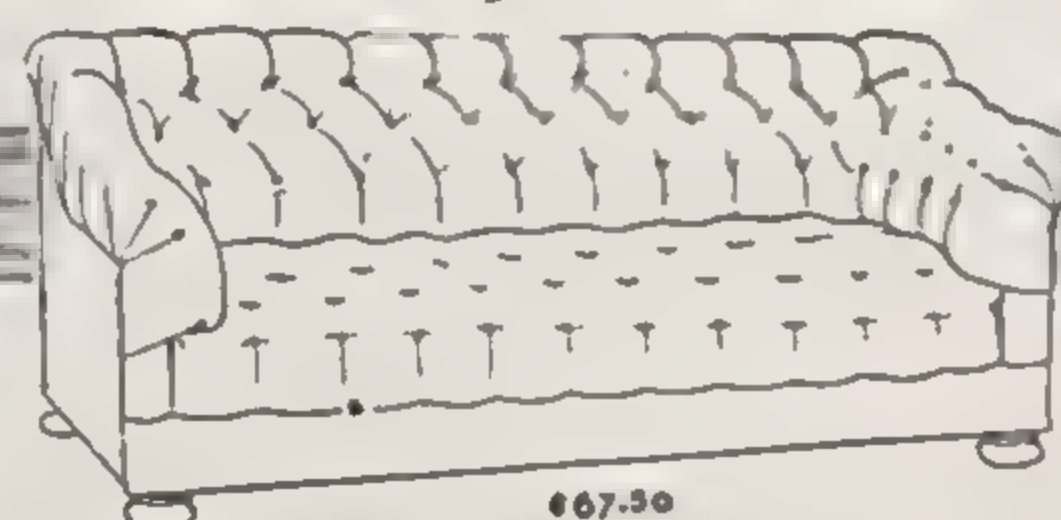


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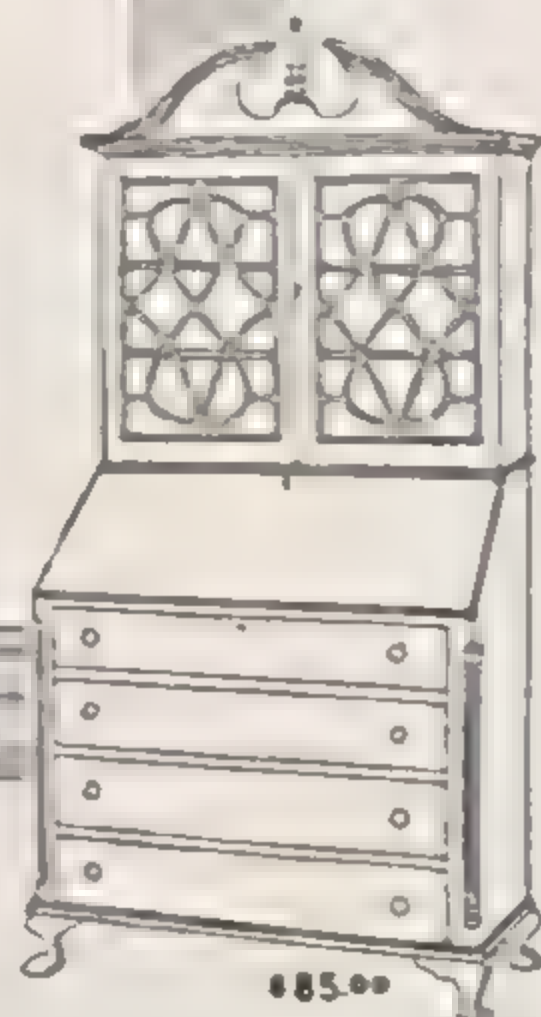


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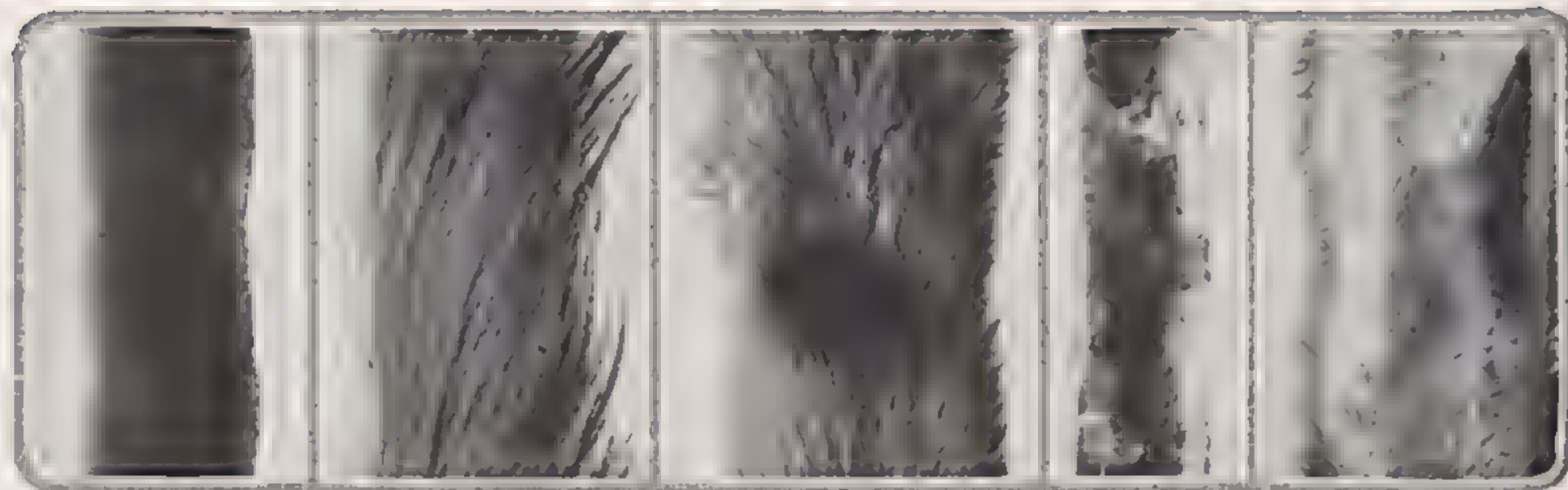
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## SEEN IN THE SHOPS

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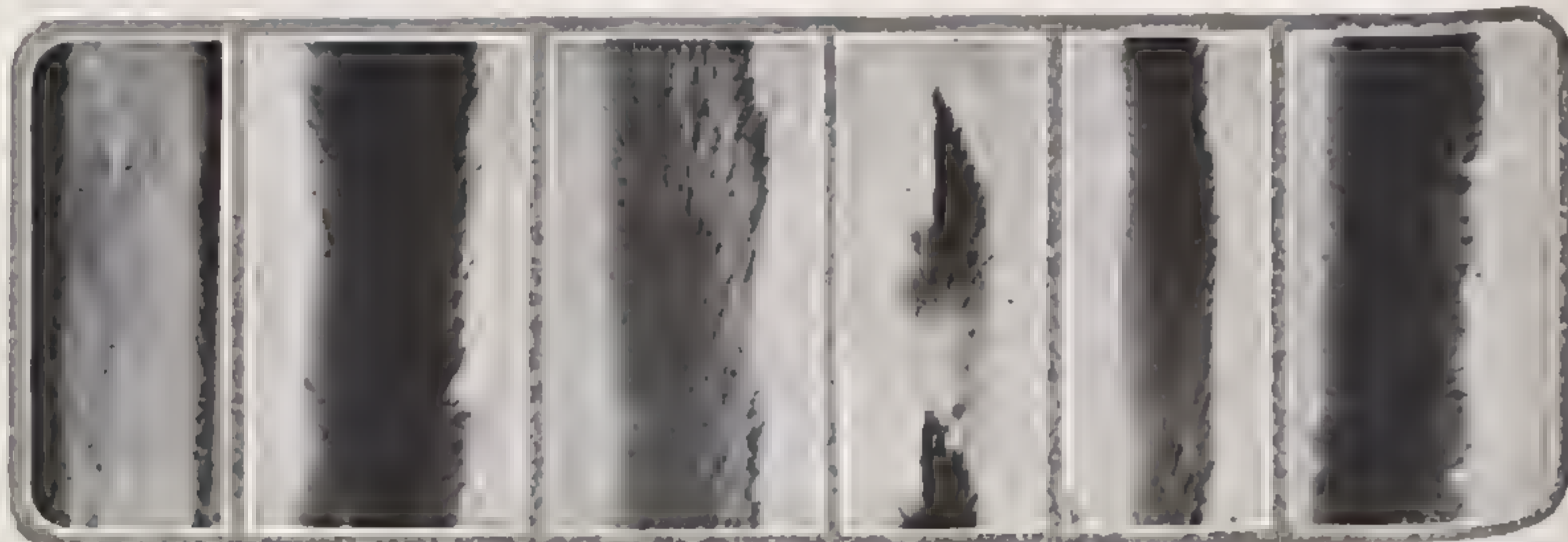
Although, in the use of fur this season, preference has, in some cases, been given to certain newly popular furs, such as monkey, kolinsky, and beaver, if one considers the offerings of all the important Parisian couturiers, it will be seen that there are very few furs which have not a place in the winter modes. Skunk is always very popular every year, as its color



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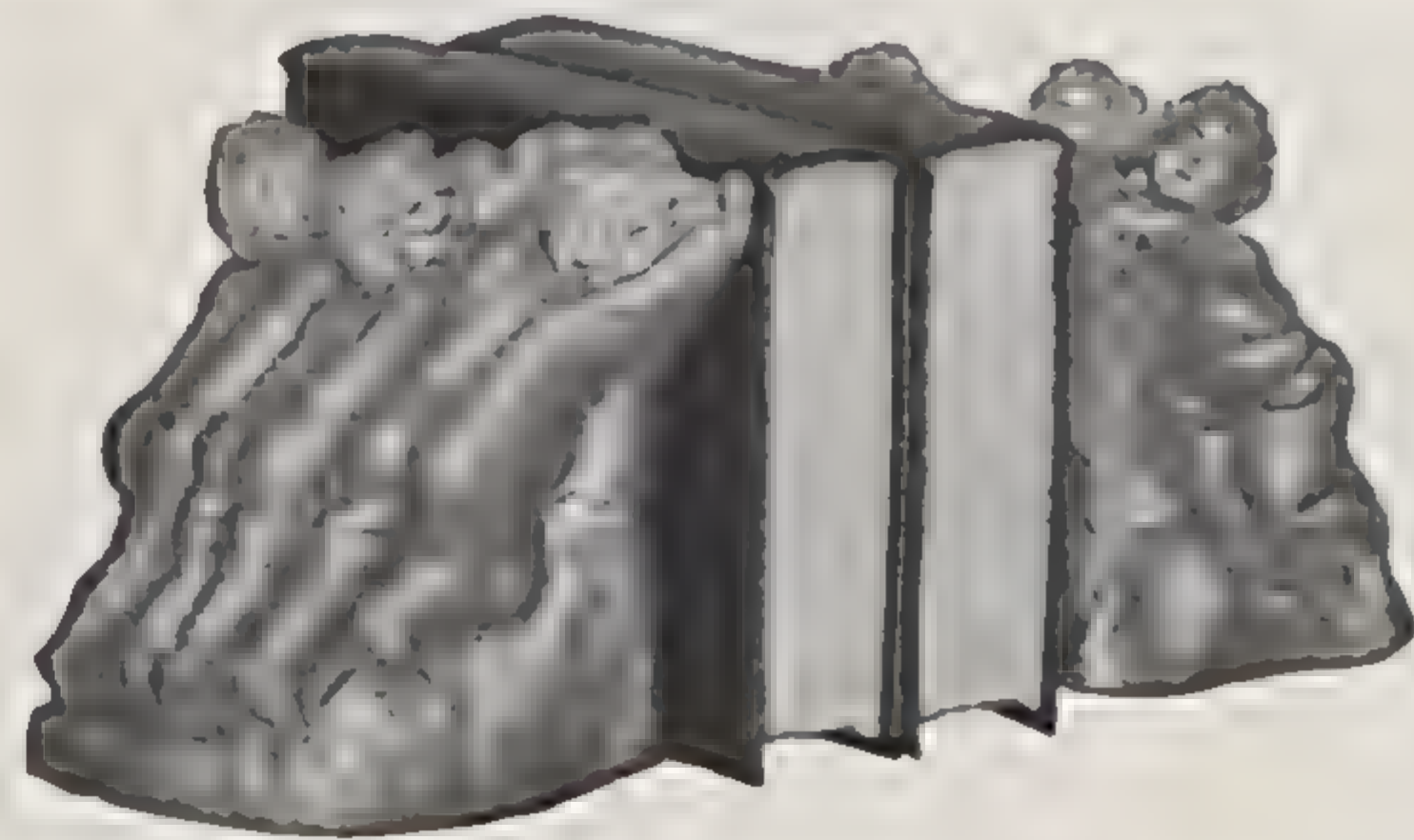
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## TAKING THOUGHT OF FURS

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The coat at the left on page 71 is forty-five inches long and has a decided flare at the sides, but is flat in front and back, in the accepted mode, and has a belt in front only. The flat buttons are also of seal. Both of these coats are of really beautiful workmanship and are lined with soft and beautiful satin, either in patterns or plain, as one chooses.

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The second coat, which is forty inches long, owes its style to the long, unbroken line from the shoulder. It flares gracefully at the bottom. This flare, though so modest in appearance, means many additional skins, and, of course, additional expense. The new high collar on this coat makes it very warm, especially if one wears it closed. A coat of this style has a hundred uses, as the simple cut makes it possible for morning wear, while the richness of fur and lining make it also suitable for evening wear.

The excellent muff shown with it is of an excellent quality and is a conservative type that is not likely to become out of date very soon. The charming hat worn with it is excellent for motoring or skating, as well as for walking.

The black fox set shown at the left on page 71 would make an excellent set for a young girl, as it is simple in design and in no way exaggerated. Equally youthful is the straight-brimmed, blue velvet hat worn with it. A fine edge of gold finishes the corbeau blue ribbon which trims this hat, and the velvet of the hat is shirred in soft folds at the top of the crown.

The chinchilla squirrel and seal set at the right at the top of page 71 has both an unusual scarf and a novel muff. The muff, which is made of alternate bands of the two furs and finished with a quilling of silk, has a novel addition to the usual equipment of muffs in a dainty little vanity bag to match the soft satin lining. This may be hidden in the muff or may hang out on one side.

One of the smartest large sailors of the season is the model illustrated with this set, for it has been accurately copied from a French model. The hat is of black



A "polo set" of Russian fitch boasts a ball muff and a mallet scarf, and by installing a vanity bag the muff begins a rivalry with the handbag. Hat of black velvet with blue and bronze-green wings; price of muff, \$48; scarf \$22.50; hat, \$15

velvet and the trimming consists of a quilling and stiff bow of grosgrain ribbon.

### FROM FOX TO WOLF

Blue fox and taupe fox have both been very smart for a season or two. They are youthful and becoming, and blend well with many colors. Unfortunately, their price and the fact that they do not wear well has made many people who admire them feel it unwise to purchase them. This season, for the first time, there has appeared the taupe wolf illustrated at the bottom of page 71, which in practically every way gives the effect of a very dark taupe fox. To many people, wolf signifies a stiff, bristling fur that is so cheap in appearance as to be quite hopeless. This cheap grade of wolf, however, is almost as different from the quality shown in the taupe wolf sets as it is from fox. Only very fine wolf skins will take the taupe dye, and consequently only these can be used. The result is remarkable, and the sets are so soft that one is really surprised to learn they are wolf and not fox.

The brown velvet hat which is illustrated with this set of taupe wolf has as its only trimming a chou of many bows of fancy brown moire ribbon, which rises in a single quill-like end.

A very pretty set of Russian fitch shown at the top of this page is aptly called "the polo set," for the muff is quite round like the ball, and the scarf when spread out is for all the world like a mallet, in which the tab, which goes either toward the back, as shown, or up against the ear, forms the cross-piece of the stick. The same model may be had in chinchilla squirrel at the price of \$38 for the muff and \$38 for the scarf.

The smart hat shown with this set is of black velvet trimmed with brilliant blue wings topping a peculiar bronze-green feather base.

Although there are many attractive novelties offered each season in fur sets, there is never one which affects the large

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The rich brown of well-selected skins makes this set of skunk a thing of beauty as well as a purchase of wisdom. The velvet turban with toboggan-cap tendencies is trimmed with ostrich; price of muff, \$45; scarf, \$25; hat, \$16.50

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and may be sure that with intelligent assistance these objects will find their places even in American rooms and, like well-bred people, they will exert a refining influence on all that comes their way. A good Chinese vase, for instance, will assure its possessor that much of the nondescript bric-à-brac decorating a room belongs in the ash barrel, and will even give the courage to send it there. It is difficult to imagine a room into which some good object of oriental art could not be introduced with justification. Persian glass, carved jade, or bits of porcelain take their places in almost any room, and furniture in lacquer fits decoration of many styles. Black and gold lacquer chests in French rooms, a bronze-green lacquer high-boy in colonial surroundings, and a red lacquered mirror used with Tudor oak give safe and pleasing contrasts. A Chinese vase of gourd shape in a deep yellow porcelain seems made for the bold black and white rooms in the Viennese style that had so strong an influence just before the war.

## IMPORTING SERENITY

An oriental lamp is a thing of beauty by day and of comfort by night, and a few shallow bowls of flowers give opportunity for daily amusement and experiment in the novel arrangement of flowers. A little goddess carved of rock crystal may arouse a radiant enthusiasm, a new and deeper feeling for beauty, while a jar of good color, whether it be the humble green ginger jar or the blue tea jar worth nothing at all or a gourd-shaped Kienlung porcelain worth eighty dollars or even eight hundred, may be the starting point of a commendable pride-of-house. Japanese prints, properly framed and well placed, are not only an indication of aristocracy of taste, but a very sure training in that aristocracy. Like all objects which are, in truth, expressions

of the artists who made them, these objects give a satisfaction and a return not to be measured by money standards.

With this article is illustrated an American interior which has by no means lost its character of an American home, yet which inspires in those who enter it the thought, "This is oriental!" Though there is little that really is Japanese or Chinese in this room, the atmosphere is there, and certainly does much to bring a serenity suggestive of an oriental interior into an American house. Thick American walls covered with grass-cloth are not much like the thin sliding partitions of the Japanese house, but a similar result is obtained, a gracious quality that comes from smooth spaces and from the very texture of the grass-cloth.

## THE JUDGMENT OF THE EYE

Against the gold colored grass-cloth are hung Japanese prints, which are framed in concession to American custom, but in simple and inconspicuous frames. The lamp is fitted with electricity in American fashion, but it is made of Japanese materials,—white porcelain for the base and rice paper and thin strips of wood, black lacquered, for the shade. The triple mirror, the table, and the chairs are copied from old lacquered ones, and the small rugs are Persian. Harmony has been preserved in these furnishings, but it is the harmony of line, and color, and form, which appeals to the trained eye, not the harmony of historic synchronism to which period-art fanatics would enslave the home.

It is one of the illusive things not readily explained in words, this happy assembling of things of totally dissimilar countries and times, and it is an art not learned in a day, but it is giving us a selective theory of decoration that makes for the individuality and distinction of American houses.

## TAKING THOUGHT OF FURS

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sale of skunk. Good skunk is an investment, for there is probably no fur which gives better service or which is more generally becoming or suitable for a greater variety of occasions. The set which appears at the bottom of page 112 is of that excellent value which makes skunk satisfactory for the person who expects service as well as modishness from an investment in furs, and does not wish some fur which is a fad for the moment and will be replaced by another in a few months. The skins in the set illustrated are of the best quality and they are carefully selected to show the beautiful deep brown in their depth which can not be imitated in skins of any other quality. The muff is of a generous size and the ample scarf has an


unusual closing, made by slipping the head of the animal through the middle of the end of the scarf. A scarf of this sort allows great variety in arrangement, and its very simplicity will prevent its losing cachet.

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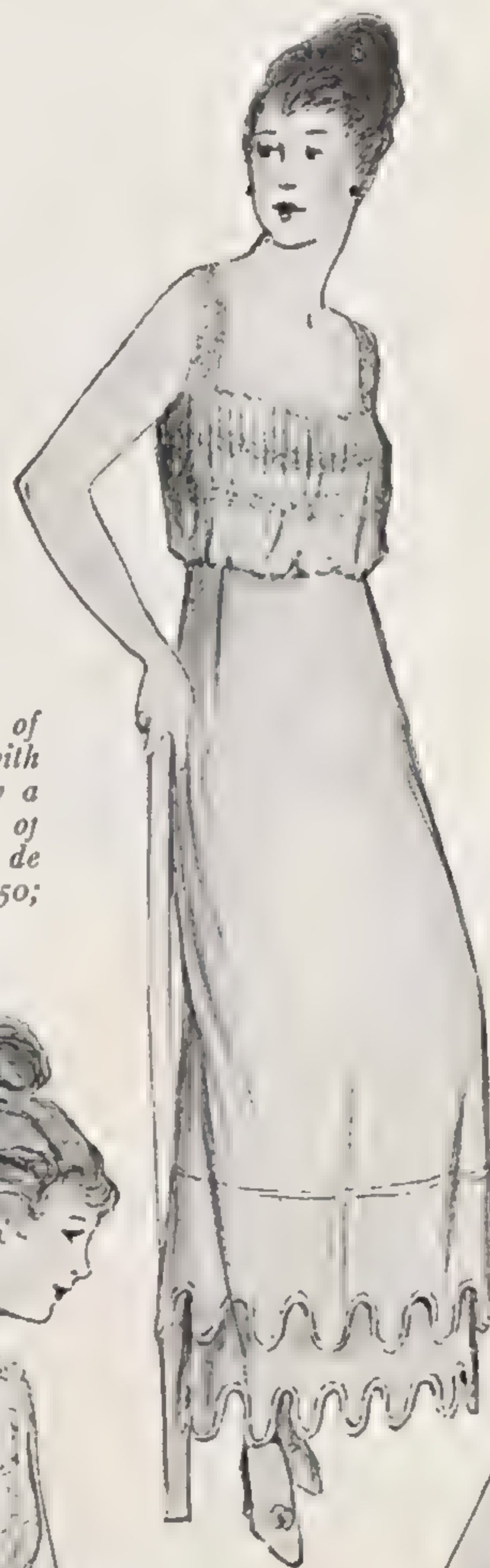
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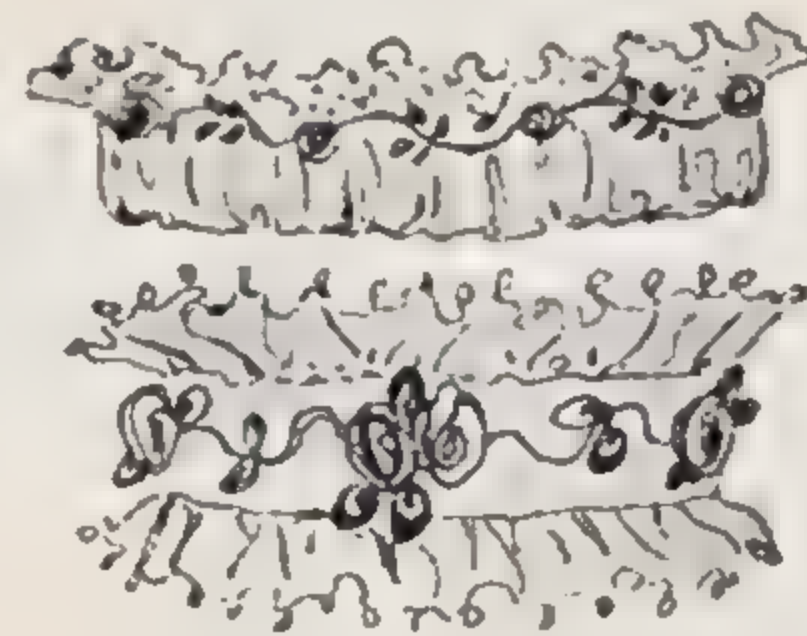
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gown of fine lawn, with picot edge and  
ribbon trimming, shown at the bottom  
of the page, next the corset, yet the ma-  
terial is fine enough and the workmanship  
of sufficient excellence to make its  
price unusually moderate for the quality.

The new lines in corsets find excellent  
illustration in the model shown at the  
lower left corner of page 65. This has a  
noticeable waist-line and is higher in the  
front than many of the models recently  
worn. It is finished with elastic at the  
waist and has a bone at each side. The  
material is a suède-finished tricot which  
is both strong and soft.

The pretty and simple petticoat shown  
at the top of this page is of white Italian  
silk and may also be had in dark colors.  
The two flounces are bound with silk

braid and the petticoat is a practical one,  
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lace is shown at the left on this page while  
at the right is one of embroidery and  
Cluny lace. Below them are two attrac-  
tive pairs of garters, which are both copies  
of French models. The first is of satin  
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## IN AND OUT OF PICCADILLY



IT is tea time in Piccadilly, and the sun is setting in a glory that mocks this wasted season. There is a little hum in the air that seems to say "summer is over"; in St. James's Park the leaves already lie "like thick patines of bright gold," and smart little flappers, trotting down to the lake with buns for the swans, draw their white fox collars a bit closer. Taxis tearing west are lost in a golden haze at Hyde Park Corner; pink-and-white Englishwomen, blue-eyed, blue-

veiled, and inevitably wearing blue boas, drift in and out of doorways that have suddenly come to life; paint buckets and scaffolding have gone from the clubs and once more the windows are filled with manly creatures wearing gray clothes and an air of leisure; the hurdy-gurdies of Mayfair are giving their regular autumn performance of Tosti's "Good-bye," and gardenias have gone up tuppence . . . Briefly, it's the month of St. Michael and the serious life has begun.

### TEA TIME IN PICCADILLY

Willy MacRea had tea at the Ritz lately with a friend. "It's wonderful on the moors now, you know," sighed Willy as he took sugar. Willy voiced the general wistfulness when he said that. It is true, nobody has any time to cry over spilled holidays, but now and then, when the sunlight is so silvery and the air so champagne that feet don't touch the ground at all, thoughts will stray from carnage and Zeppelins to heath and trout streams and the soft outline of old castle turrets against an azure sky. It would not be surprising if a "Personal" something like this should appear in the *Times*:

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Isn't it a pity that the Kaiser couldn't have chosen some other time for his great adventure than the most perfect month of the whole English year? January, for example, would have been a wise choice, for then one wouldn't mind much stopping in out of the fog to knit cholera-belts, or to rock Belgian babies.

Willy was most amusing with his war gossip from the Cavalry Club. "Straight from the cow," he branded it with elegance. Willy in peace is the most charming good-for-nothing one ever saw,—cynical, negligible, scoffing wittily at the government and everything else. But the war has made a man of him, just as it has of many others; it has converted him into a loyal, energetic, out-and-out Great Englander who can't do too much, or give too much, for Kitchener's army. Willy is dying to enlist but he isn't eligible for some slight reason,—color-blind, or has no ear—can't tell God Save the King from the Watch on the Rhine—something like that.

"Ain't it rotten?" he moaned. "As fit as a two-year-old and in the Nursery Handicap."

### BUCKING UP RECRUITERS

However, he is working just as hard at home as if he were pinking Prussians abroad; he is bucking up recruiters, sending tobacco to the soldiers at the front and grapes and motors to the wounded Belgian and British at the London Hospital, and—most important of all—he is getting his sporting friends to give their field-glasses for the soldiers at the front. It's a frightfully touching display of generosity when a sporting English gentleman gives away, for good and all, his own special, particular field-glasses. He believes they are priceless; never expects to find another pair that will suit his eyes so well; and his personal sentiment for them is immense.

"Many's the winner I've watched come down the track through mine," said Willy. "And loser," he added.

But these are the busy days of the cheerful giver. From the gorgeous lavishness of the Indian princes, the maharaja, the rajah, the gairwar, and the rest, whose gifts of camels and horses and lakhs of rupees and troops and jewels read like a romance of the east, from the Indian princes to the obscure little curate's wife who sends her brooch to Devonshire House to be sold for the Red Cross Fund, the whole empire is swept by an *elan* of generosity. Persons who don't happen to have the ready money are taking the pearls out of their hair and the family heirlooms from the cupboards in order to help swell the national funds.

Some of the Oxford and Regent Street shops are undertaking to display and sell these articles of sacrifice and the collections are worth a story by themselves. Old cashmere shawls, yellowing lengths of fine lace, high combs, strange bits of (Continued on page 120)

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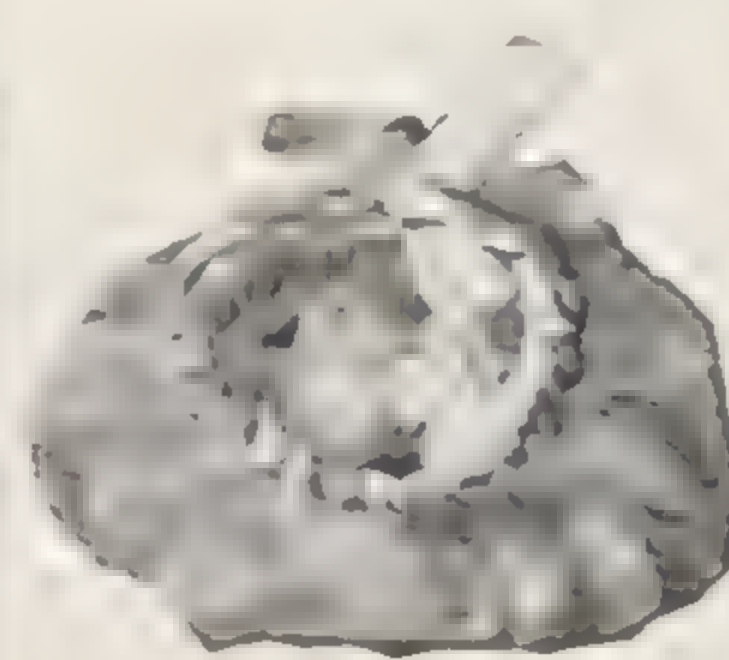
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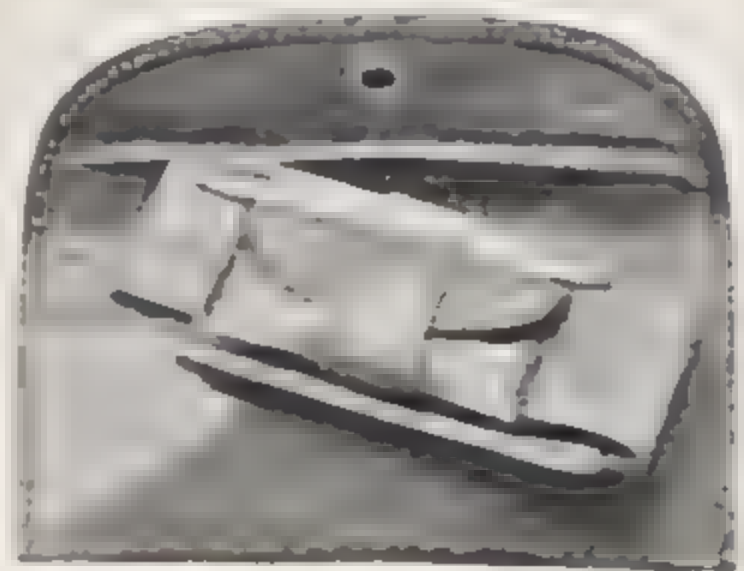


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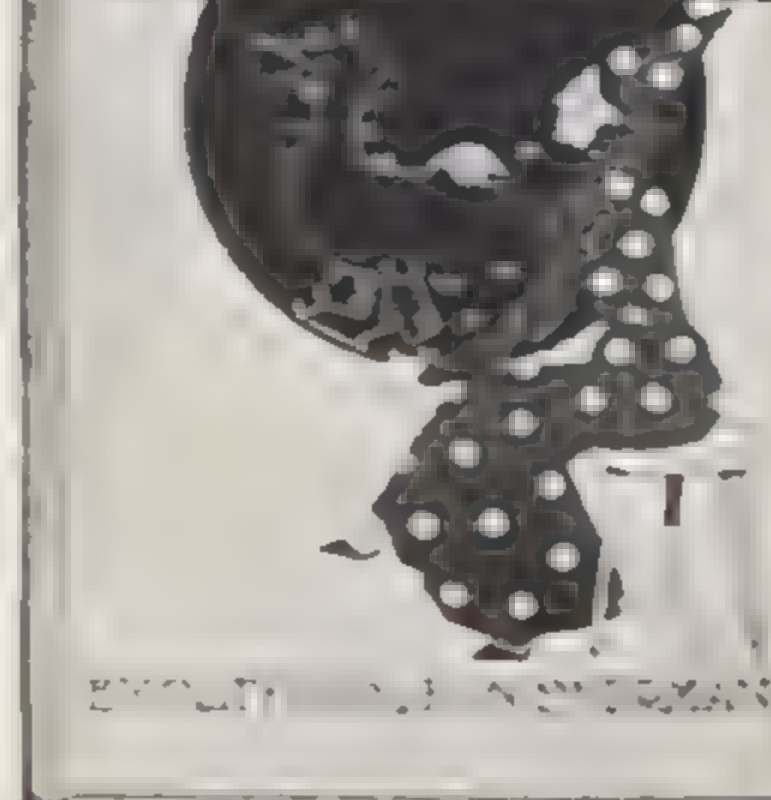
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## IN AND OUT OF PICCADILLY

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Victorian china, weird Victorian bracelets, and babies' cups appear. One woman turned over a collection of eighty thousand postage stamps to be sold; the whole clan must have been stamp-mad for generations. And as for dogs: a thoroughbred English bulldog, "tenacious but kind," is advertised for sale by a devoted master; a famous kennel is disposing of its Aberdeens at a guinea each, and both of these bargains are offered in the interests of the Red Cross.

Last week-end we spent at Brighton with the Elchos. Minnie was reduced to a rag from too much "committeeing" for the Queen's Woman's Work Guild. At an impromptu bazaar that was gotten up for the good of the wounded soldiers quartered in the old grammar schools, there occurred a most amusing "doggy" tragedy. A serious youngster dragged in a most vicious-looking Airedale named "Binkie" and contributed him to the general olla podrida which was made up of ivory fans, old Staffordshire and lusterware, bottles of blackberry cordial, old bits of silver, and other fragilities. A bull in a china shop must make a mild scene compared with that made by the ferocious Binkie in his brief sojourn.

### FEW FASHIONS ON THE FACE OF LONDON

Army kits are selling; otherwise the shops are Saharas. Except for the Americans still staying at Claridge's and the Carlton there would hardly be a new frock or a new hat on the face of the landscape. A certain milliner who makes the most enticing hats in London, and is accustomed to selling about one a minute at her own volatile price, told me that she had disposed of exactly two hats in ten days and those at seven shillings each. Englishwomen have forgotten clothes, and have thrown themselves recklessly into war work. Modish sentinels stand at every bank door and at every shop, to give passers-by, if not the ten pound look, the tuppence look, at the very least. Pretty girls take up collections in the smart restaurants at dinner and greet guests with a smile and a cash box at all corners. Philanthropic looking Dalmatian dogs with Red Cross boxes strapped to their backs march in and out of Devonshire House gate. In Piccadilly yesterday a very dimpled little girl and her littler brother, chaperoned by a benevolent but hideous bulldog with a Red Cross box attached to his collar, raided the community; pennies flew about like peanuts. Millions of dollars are flowing in as the result of all this "individualist-competitive" effort, as Mr. H. G. Wells expresses it, and what to do with the money now that it is collected is becoming a grave question.

Meantime, to sustain the golden flood, economy reigns. The luxury of military mourning has been reduced to a simple white band on the sleeve; amusements are narrowing; the night clubs are closed; the flowing bowl is removed from the restaurant tables at eleven o'clock; and as the lights of the town have all been turned down, London, in spite of its animation,

they're up in the air, it's a bit awkward, don't ye know?

The war news colors each day with excitement. The latest gleam has been put into the picture by the Indians' picturesque movement-to-the-rescue, particularly by the coming of the Gurkhas, the famous little brown men of the Nepal country, who flash their kukhis and lower the temperature of the enemy as they advance. Thanks to Kipling the world knows that a kukhi is a peculiarly vicious, long, wide-bladed knife, most impolite and terminative in an encounter. London drawing-rooms fairly reek this minute with fear-some tales about these genial creatures. Apropos of aliens, what with the thousands of Belgian and French refugees here, and the hordes of sight-seeing Brazilians and Spaniards, London is becoming a second Babel. The chatter of different tongues that one hears in a tour of the town shows how widespread is the belief that "London is the safest spot on the globe." Its safety continues to attract exiled royalty in interesting numbers. The two Portuguese queens and ex-Empress Eugénie are among those whose residence here is marked by the active part they are taking in war work, either as contributors or mere workers. The Queen of the Belgians, who brought her three children over here and left them with Lord Curzon at Kedleston, had only a few days of English calm before going back to her troubled people. The children are having a very jolly country time with Lord Curzon's nice daughters. The boys are thirteen and eleven, and little Princess Josephine is only eight.

### THE 'YDE PARK ORATOR

The Park wears a fictitious air of jauntiness these golden days. The King and the Princess Mary ride in the Row two or three mornings in the week, and society, after the really hard drive of the day, is disposed to drift in, as usual, for a stroll and a chat in the late afternoon. But none of these pleasant individuals give the real note of the place. It is only when the shadows of the old elms grow long across the grass and the watermen of the Serpentine tie up their boats for the night, and the dowager-duchesses take their dogs and go home, and all the nice, sweet, conventional people vanish and the sun begins to burn red through the trees, it is only then that the present-hour spirit of the park comes into play. Then is heard in the land the hoarse, disputatious voice of the 'Yde Park orator settling the Prussian problem. His eloquence is heard faintly from the turf open places where in the dusk little, tight masses of men and women indicate that he has planted his pulpit. In the soft evening air he execrates the Kaiser and extols Tommy Atkins, all the time tossing his haunches about like a juggler tossing colored balls. But nobody minds, the stars are beginning to come out, and over Apsley House, where the Duke of Wellington had many a long reverie after Waterloo, hangs a silver moon shaped like a Turk's simitar. In this purple hour one almost forgets, in spite of the

Park spellbinders, that the world is at war. Then suddenly, across the sky, appears a long lane of light; the new searchlight on Hyde Park Gate is looking for Zeppelins. Then it all comes back. One thinks of Sir John French's reference in his famous report to the "fighting in the air." There is a quickened sense that here, among the chestnuts and hawthorns, is the same war-presence as everywhere, ominous, inexorable.





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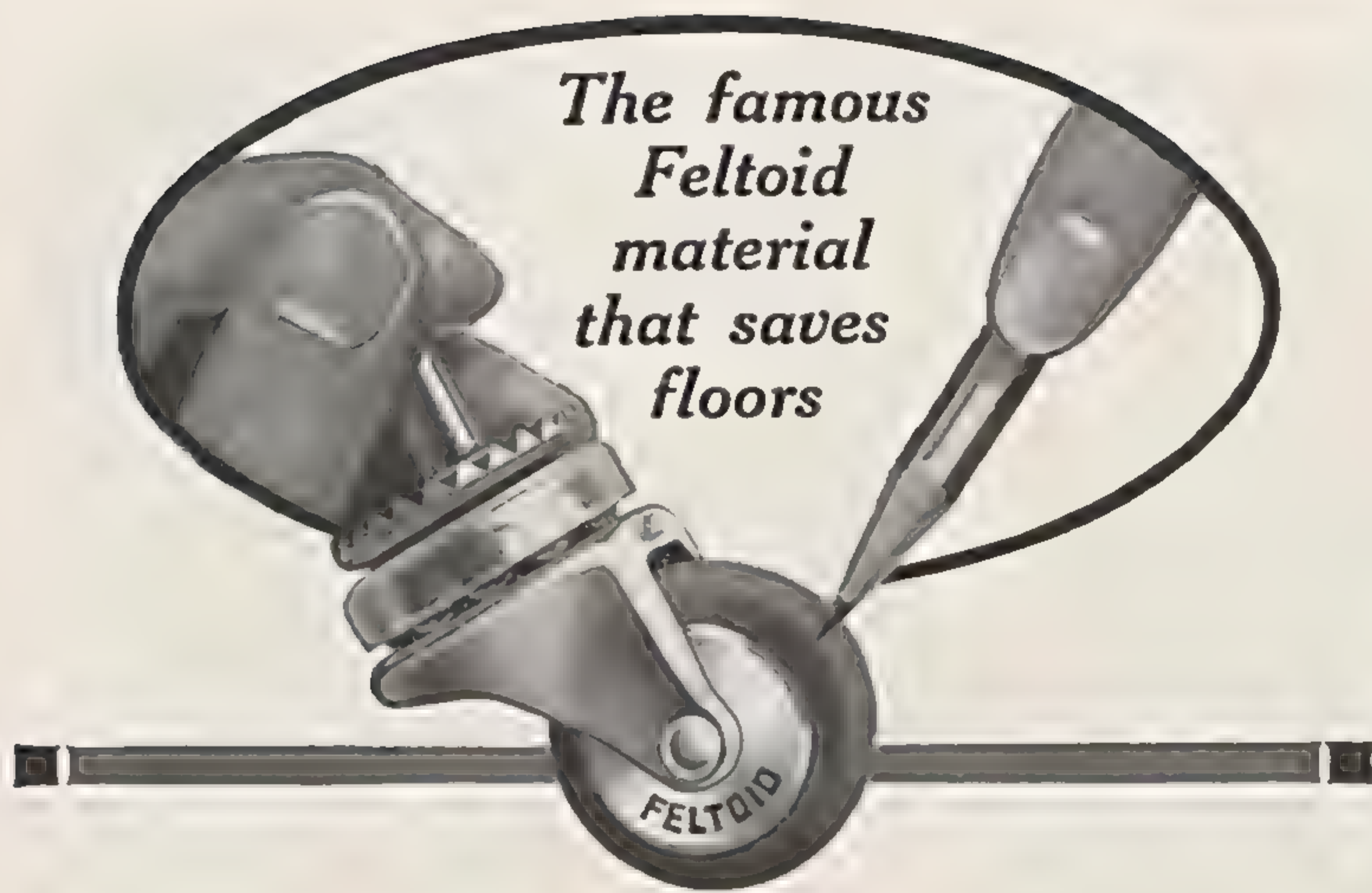
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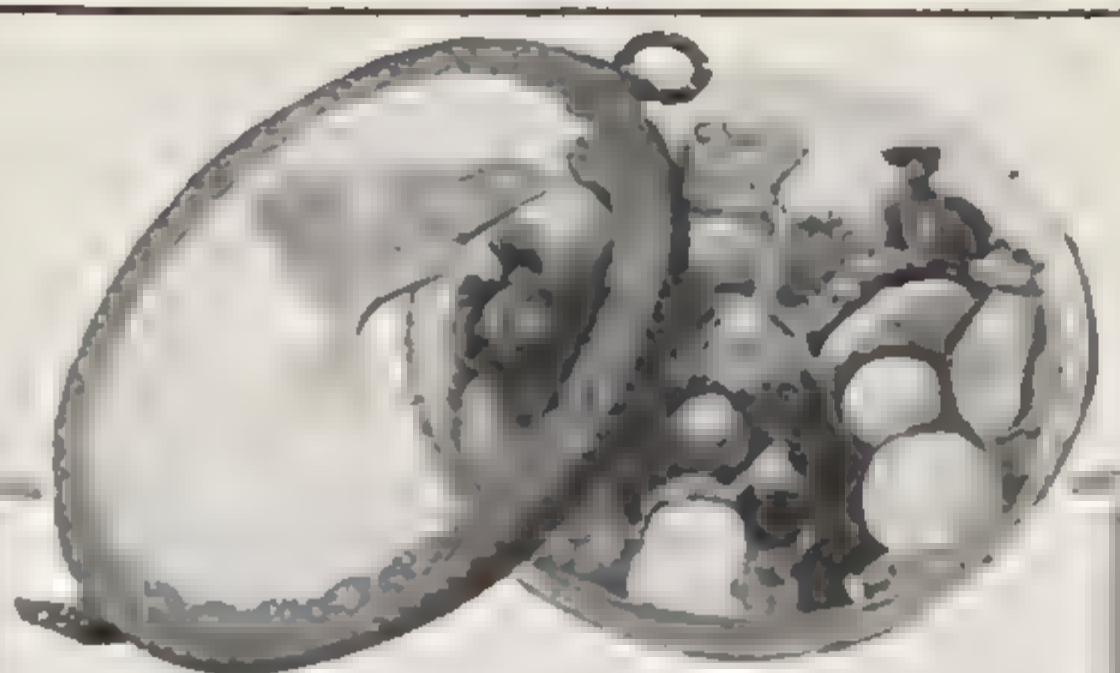
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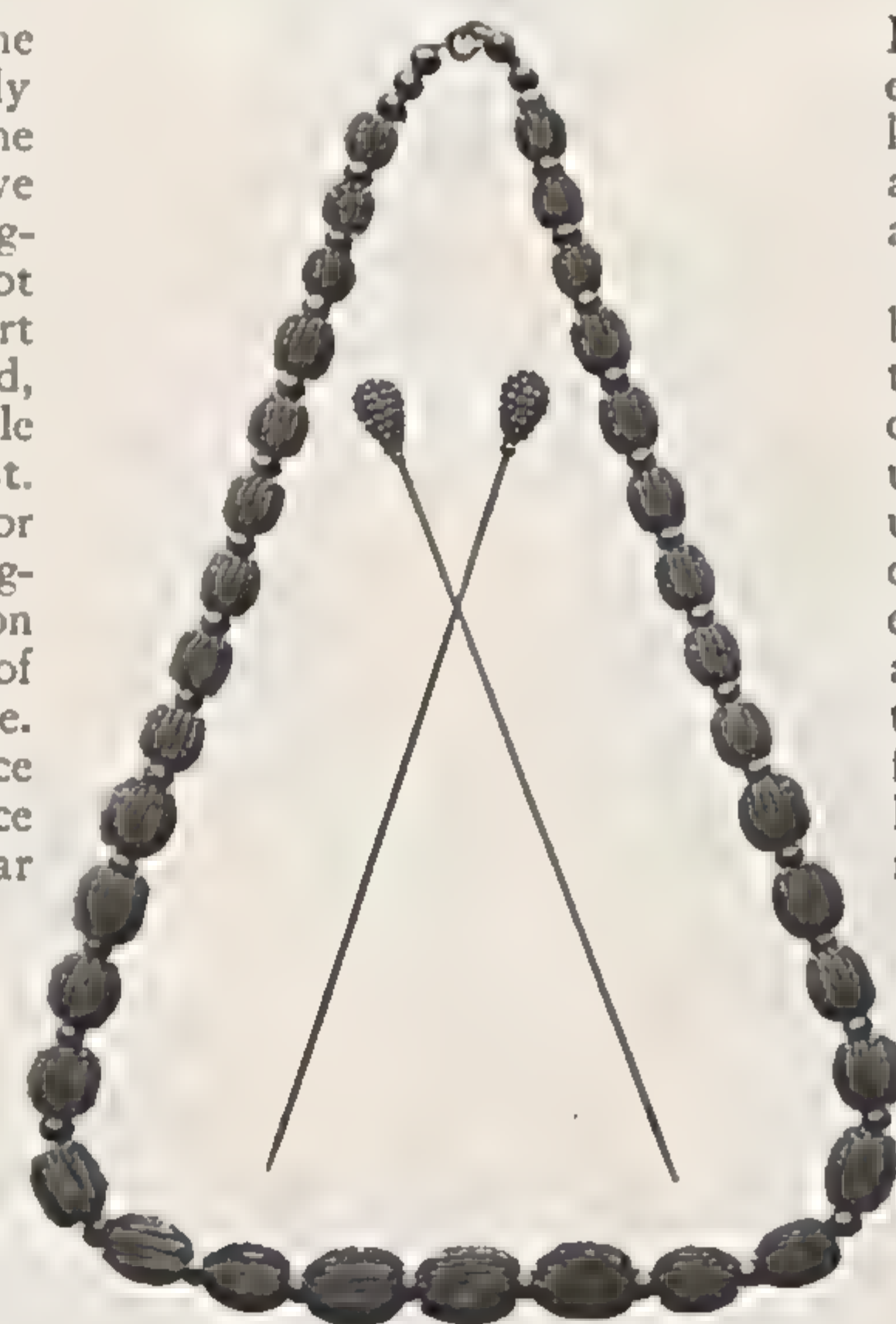
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on the coat. The fronts of the oddly pointed coat and the long panel back give it quite an air of originality, but one not overdone, for the skirt with its softly shirred, deep yoke of the faille silk is of the simplest. The faille silk sailor is practically trimmingless, depending upon the excellent line of the brim for its style.

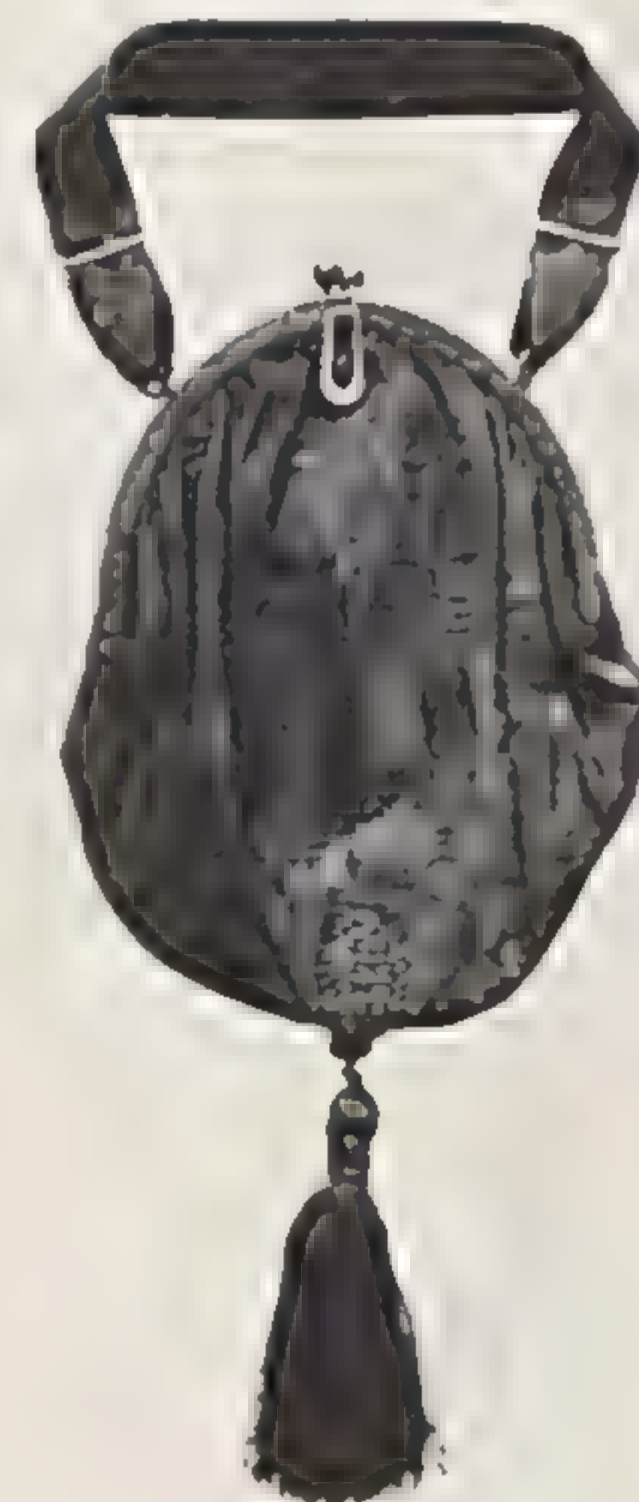
Next in importance to a suit is a one-piece mourning dress to wear under a heavy coat in the winter. The model shown second from the right at the top of page 72 has many things to recommend it. It is of serge and faille silk with chiffon ororgette crêpe collar and cuffs. The skirt is particularly pretty; it has the new flare and is circular in back and plaited in front.

Silk poplin composes the really lovely afternoon dress sketched in the middle at the top of page 72. This may also be ordered at the same price in crêpe de Chine. Black silk net forms the tiny vest and the collar, as well as the pretty little bows which appear to hold the collar in place. It is just such details as these little bows which give an air to a frock and distinguish it from the more usual ready-made clothes.

Shown second from the left on page 72 is a dress of dull-finished charmeuse and the finest black dotted net. It is just the type of frock for house and informal dinner wear.



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Quite charming are the collar and cuffs of white crêpe française edged with a tiny crêpe puff, sketched at the bottom of page 72. The youthful crêpe hat shown with the set is an imported model which may be copied at the price given.

Quite attractive and just a bit different from the usual are the dull jet beads and hatpins illustrated on this page. Dull faille moire is the material used in the simple bag, which has a gun-metal frame and slides.

Note:—Addresses of the shops will be furnished on request, or the Shopping Department of Vogue will buy for you without extra charge. Address Vogue Shopping Service, 443 Fourth Avenue, New York.

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Old Brittany is represented by a 234-inch hand-decorated mug, sketched on page 126, filled with home-made orange marmalade, and England is brought to notice again by a plum pudding attractively done up in a holly-decked box. These puddings, carefully made from a famous English receipt handed down from generation to generation, are made to order at Thanks-

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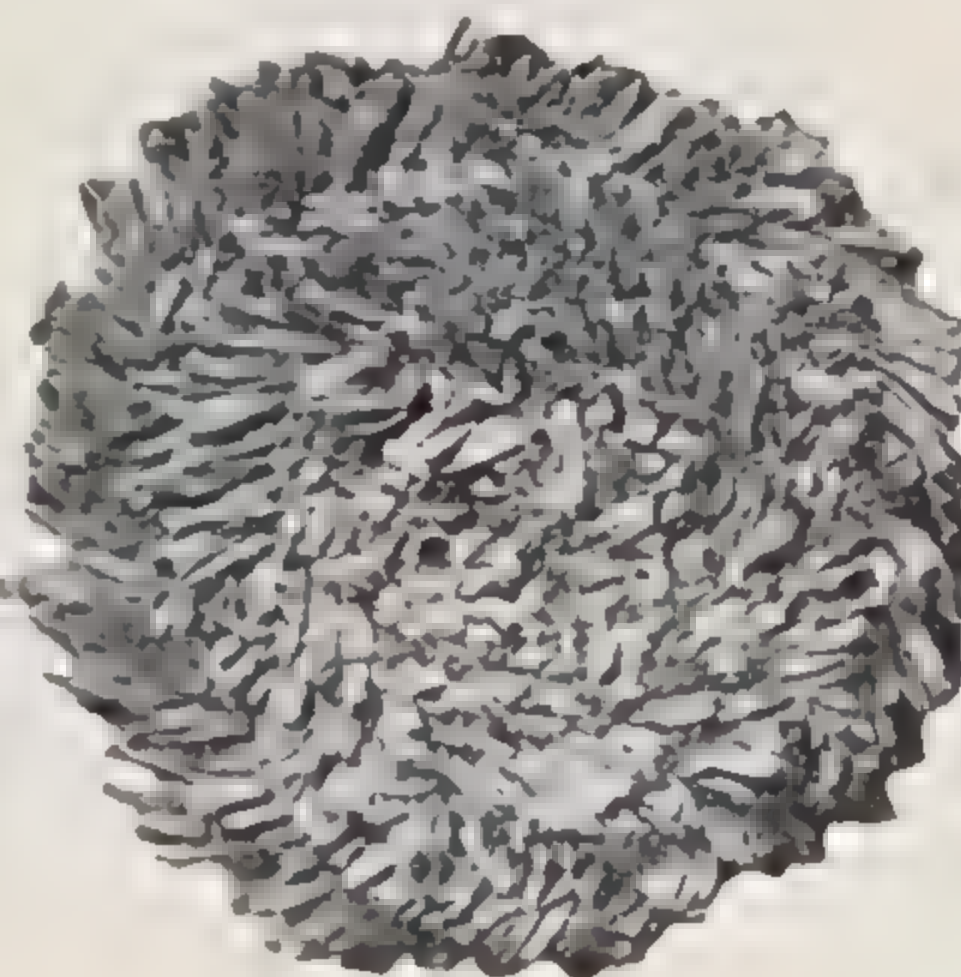
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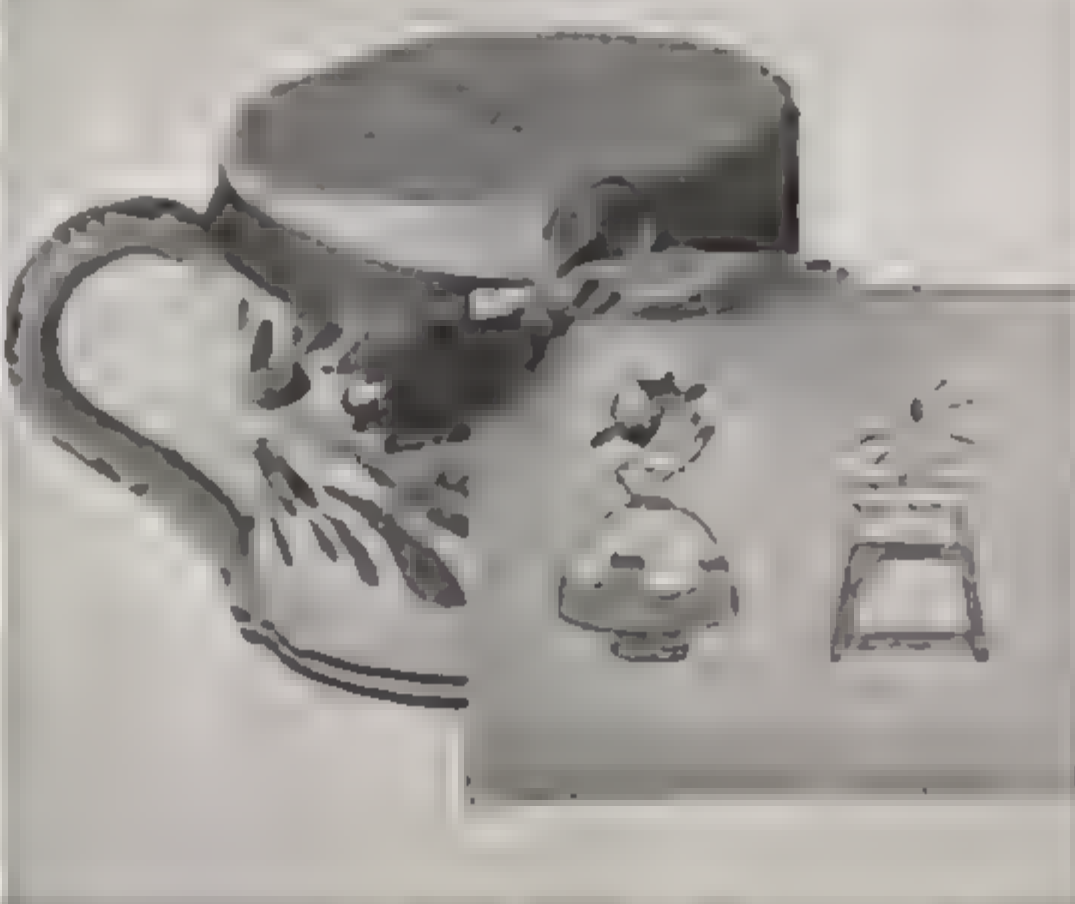
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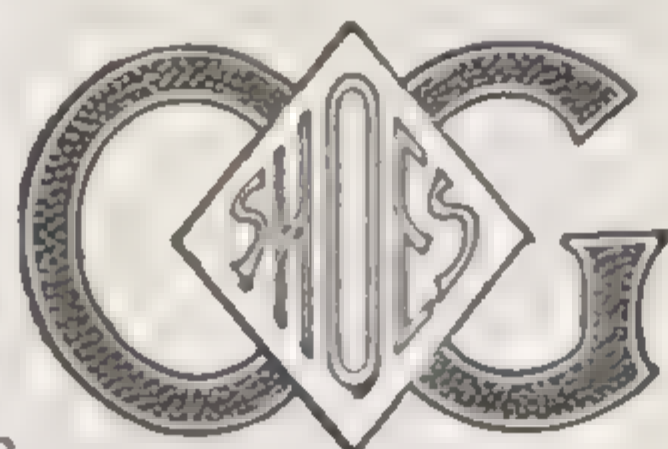
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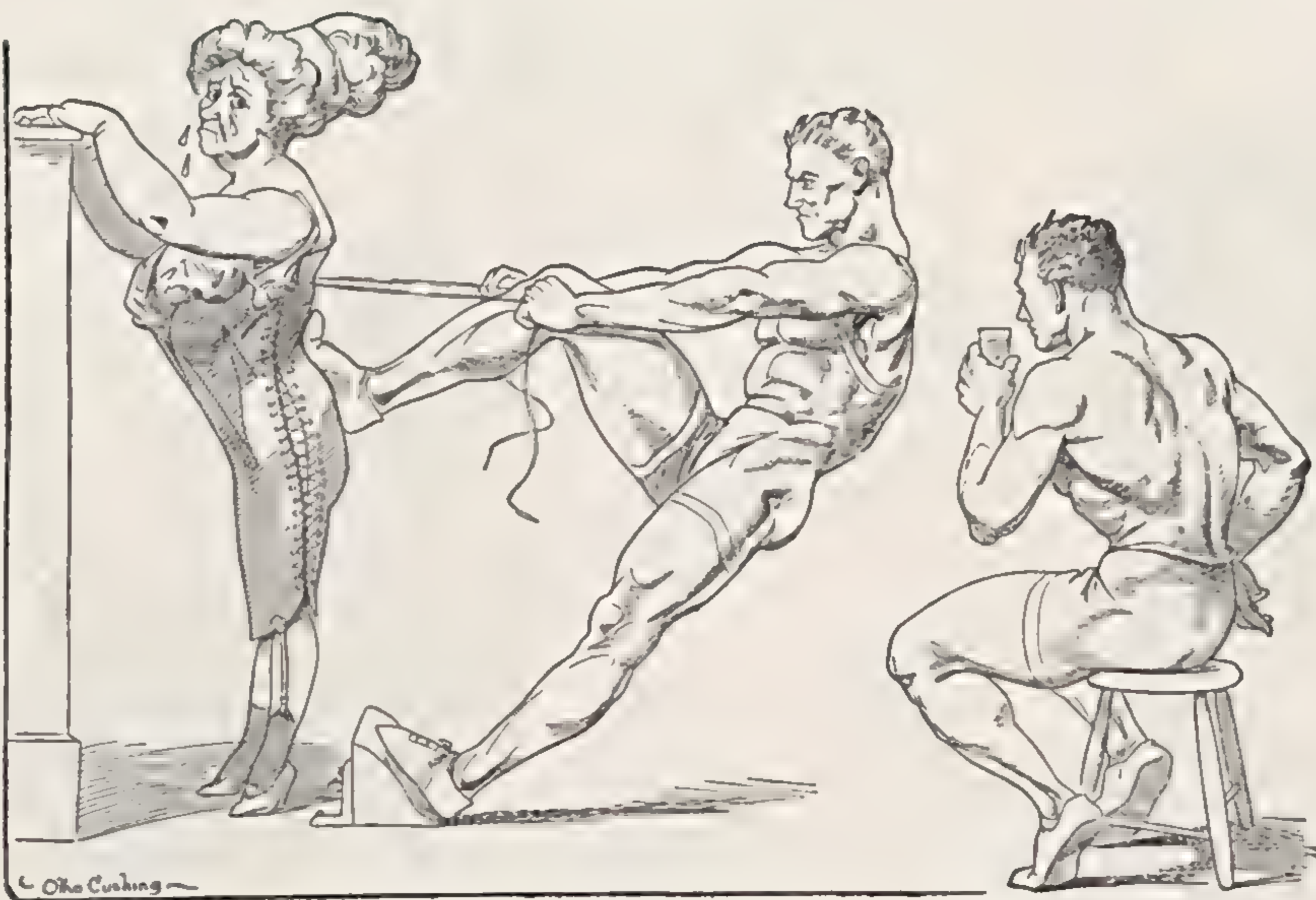
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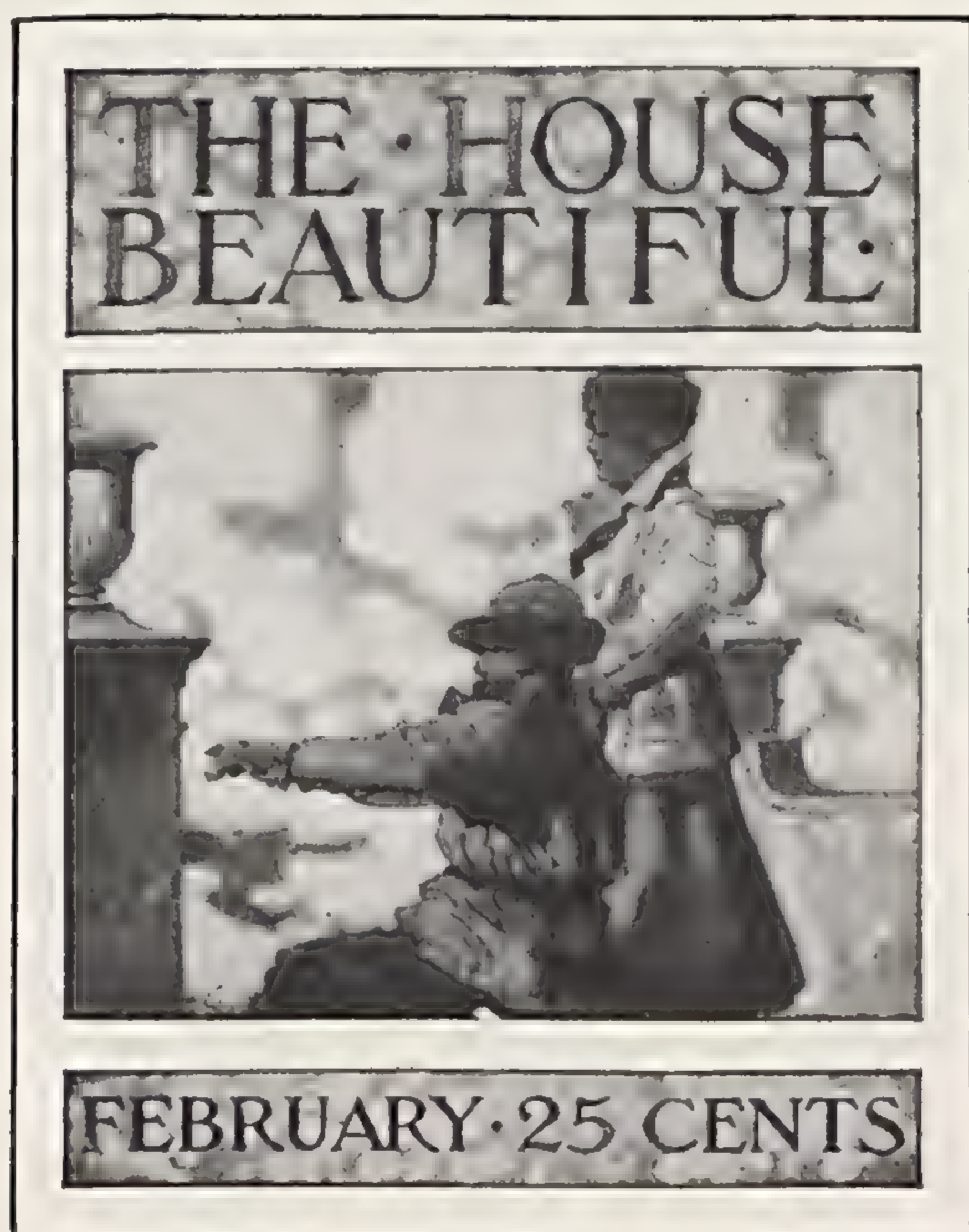
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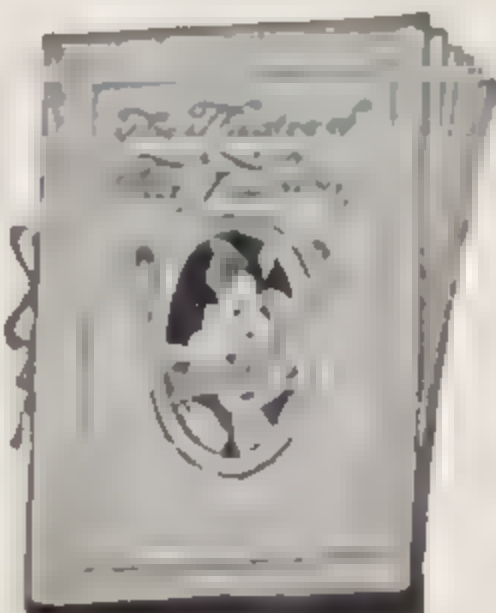
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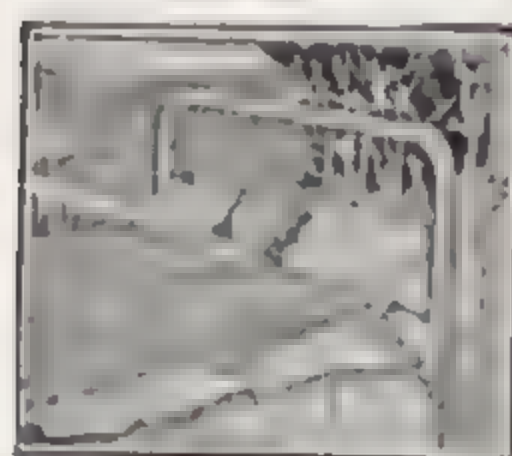
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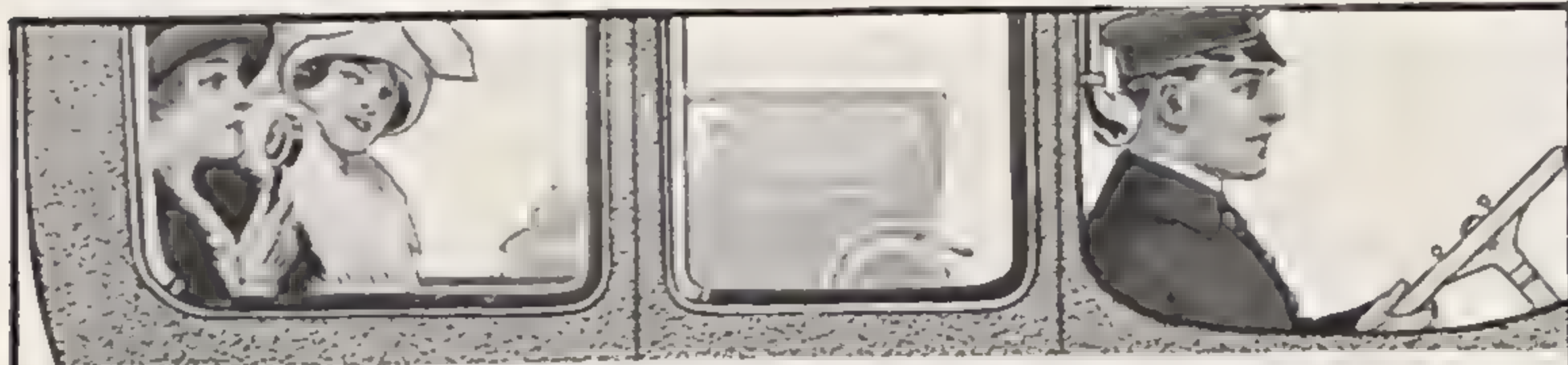
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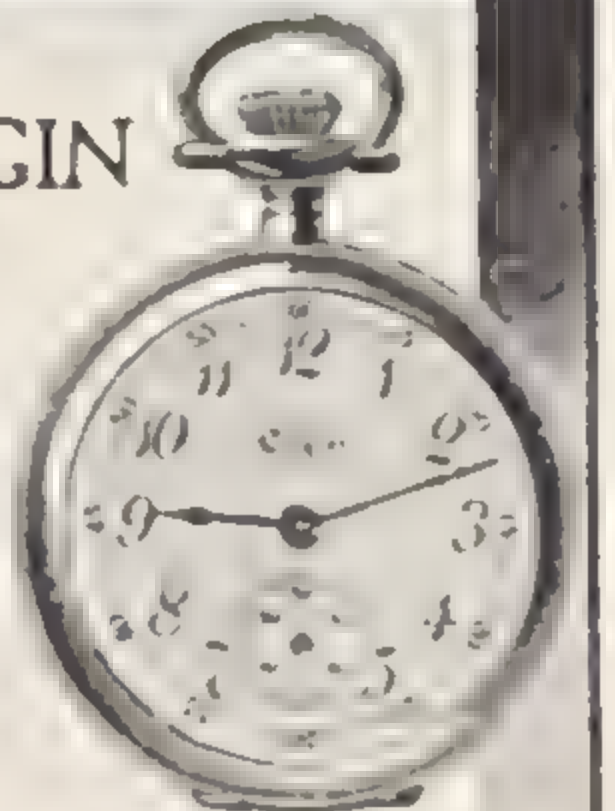
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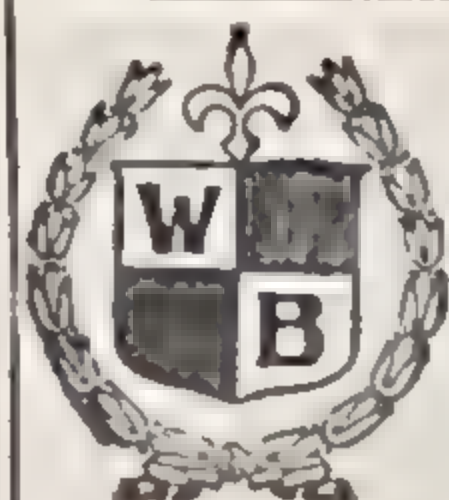
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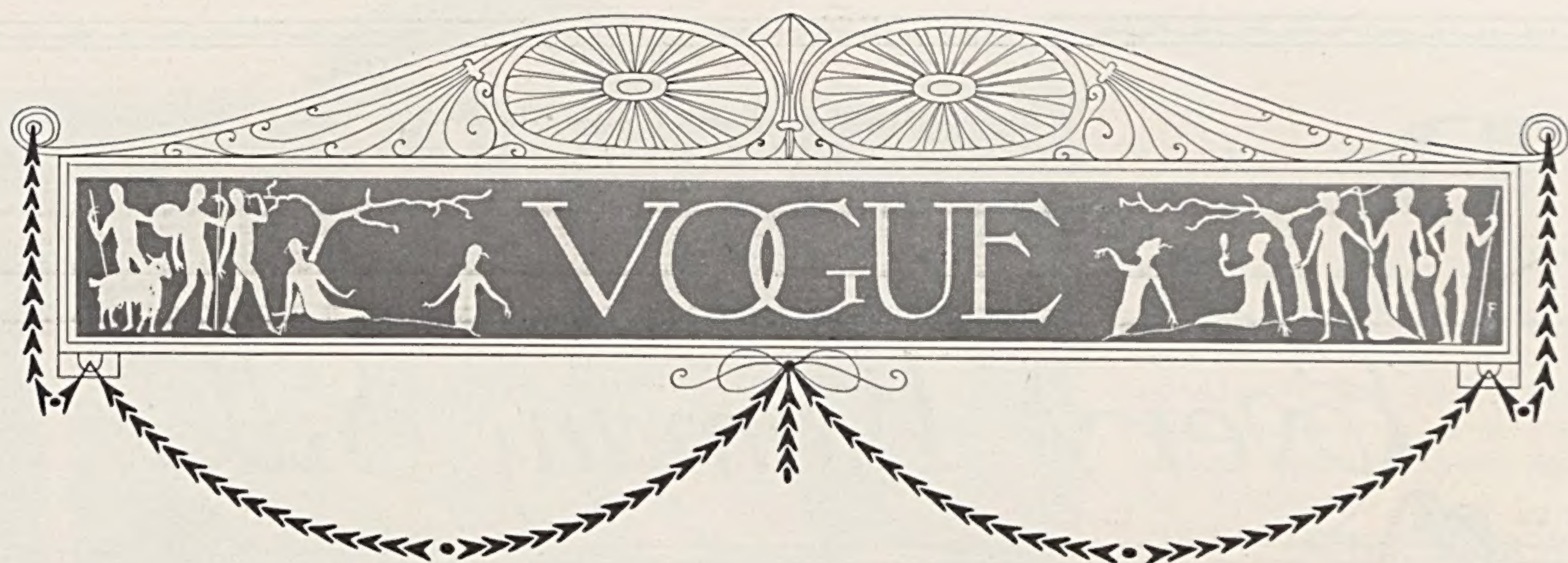
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